

The Oxford County Citizen

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BETHEL, ME.—RUMFORD, ME., THURSDAY, APRIL 22, 1909.

\$1.50 IN ADVANCE.

J. H. BARROWS PASSES AWAY

At Hospital in Portland,
Tuesday.

Funeral Services in Bethel,
Thursday afternoon.

It is with feelings of sadness and regret that we announce the death of our esteemed fellow-townsmen, James H. Barrows, who passed away Tuesday afternoon at the Eye and Ear Infirmary in Portland, where he went to undergo an operation for bladder trouble, from which he had been a great sufferer during the past months. His daughter, Mrs. Frank H. Young of Bethel, was with him at the time of his death.

Mr. Barrows was born in Greenwood, Maine, in 1832. He first married Mary Fuller of Paris, who died several years ago. Later he married Mary A. Young, who survives him.

Early in life he became identified with the manufacture of chairs and continued this business up to within a year of his death. He was actively engaged in business during his entire life, and many years ago made chairs at Snow's Falls, in Paris, and later was for some 25 years at West Paris in the same business. He came to Bethel in 1886 and established the Bethel Chair Company, with which he continued to be connected until January, 1908, when he retired and since then he has not engaged in active work of any kind.

For many years, while at Paris, he served as a trial justice and he also held that position at the time of his death. At the outbreak of the Civil War, he entered the service as a member of Company F, 23rd Maine Volunteers. He was an active member of Brown Post, G. A. R. of Bethel, and a Mason of good standing. In him there has gone from our midst an esteemed and highly respected man, a patriotic and helpful citizen, a kind and sympathetic friend. A man of high ideals and noble impulses, he was always ready to help with his time and personal service in all progressive movements—business, social, educational and religious. He was a man of earnest convictions, unyielding and unquerable and always a devoted advocate of the highest and best in life.

Born in the first half of the last century, he inherited from worthy ancestors, a strong body and a vigorous intellect and imbibed in early life those principles of honesty, industry, liberality and Christianity which marked his entire career. His tastes were simple; he enjoyed the associations of the home and was a devoted husband and father; he cherished the ties of kindred and neighbor and was ever mindful of the comfort and well being of those about him. As a citizen he fully recognized his duties and responsibilities and ever took an active and intelligent interest in public affairs. He found much pleasure in the social side of life. On politics he was a Republican, but believed that principles and not party should be the standard of political allegiance. One marked trait of his character was his generosity, and toward those who were in need, was his hand ever stretched forth. Deeply sympathetic by nature he was highly responsive to the appeals of those in sorrow, and many are they who can testify to his tender kindness toward those who were in trouble.

He was a devoted Universalist and long and active and interested worker in the church of his faith. He was a believer in the Christian Church as a mighty force for good in the world and while always loyal to his own denomination, he was ever ready to help in any way he could the work of all others. He was a member of the Bethel Universalist church, and one of its most generous supporters both in time and money. He not only believed in faith but also in work, and his life exemplified his belief. For many years and up to the time of his death, he was the chairman of the board of trustees of the Bethel parish, ex-president of the Sunday School and an honorary member of the Young People's Christian Union. He was a regular attendant upon all the services of his church. For many years he was president of the Oxford Universalist Association, and only yielded that position at the last meeting of the organization at West Paris, last October. He will be greatly missed in

IMPRESSIONS OF THE SOUTHLAND,

Gleaned by the Citizen in
Interview

With Hon. Waldo Pettengill of
Rumford.

The Citizen representative had an interesting talk with Hon. Waldo Pettengill, who recently returned from a trip through the South. Mr. Pettengill has made two trips to that part of the country before—the first one twenty years ago—Among the impressions that he received and facts noted while on the trip, are these:

"There is not to be found, in the Southland, villages at all comparable with those of New England. The poorest and most neglected village in Maine is better kept and more thrifty looking than the average villages of the South."

"It is too early to judge of the effects of the new prohibition law in the various states, but there is less drunkenness now in the places where prohibition prevails, than in the licensed places. The people in the South are in earnest regarding the suppression of the sale of liquors."

"There is considerable bitterness felt against the Yankee, but it is largely confined to those who lived during the war period, and felt the hardship of it. The feeling is most noticeable among the women."

While in Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. Pettengill visited the "White House," as it is called, where Jefferson Davis lived while President of the Confederacy. It is now a museum, and in it are stored thousands of relics of the "lost cause." Mr. Pettengill told of a woman of about sixty-five years, highly educated and of the most cultured manner, who was in charge and conducted the party over the place. She was one of the before-the-war wealthy families and had preserved all the intense hatred for authority, engendered by the loss of property and station, and defeat. As she pointed out various articles of interest such as the coat that "Stonewall" Jackson wore, she showed all the feeling of a mother fondling the toys of a dearly beloved babe that had died. Her explanations were tinged with bitter reflection upon the "Yankees."

"In spite of all the regrets the Southerners have, there is never heard a wish expressed to return to the old way. They are satisfied with the present system of government and business."

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BIG SALE AT THE "LITTLE YELLOW STORE," RUMFORD.

Mr. Isaac W. Allen, who has been in business in Rumford for the past seven years, and who has created a reputation as a fair and honest trader, has sold the building in which he has done business so long. He has not sold his business or stock, but as will be seen from the advertisement elsewhere, he will dispose of the entire stock at quick sale, which means bargain prices. Look his advertisement over carefully.

EASTERN STAR, CANTON.

There will be a regular meeting of Order of Eastern Star, Canton, Tuesday evening, April 27th, at 7:30 sharp. All members are requested to be present.

the work of his church. He found much strength and comfort in his faith, and to him it was a living reality. We firmly believe that "God is good" and that His loving kindness and tender mercies are over all His works." He believed his faith good to live by and also good to die by, and we may rest assured that in the hour of death his implicit trust in God gave him strength to face the future, and that in death, as in life, he found this faith as the strong right arm of aid upon which he might lean as he went bravely through the valley.

The funeral will be held from the Universalist church, Bethel, under the auspices of the Maine, Thursday afternoon at one o'clock. Rev. J. H. Little of South Paris, will officiate.

"NOT FABLES," SAYS THE REV. H. S. RYDER

In Sermon at the M. E.
Church, Rumford,

Speaking of the Sustaining
Power of Jesus.

At the Methodist church in Rumford, Sunday, the pastor, Rev. H. S. Ryder, read a part of the sixth chapter of John, relating to the incident upon which the Communion service is based, and used the central thought "Life Eternal" as the subject for the discourse.

The principal points brought out by the speaker were:

"Previous to dispelling the illusion that prevailed that He was the king and political deliverer expected by the Jews, Jesus enjoyed a great measure of popularity. The incident of feeding the multitudes on five loaves and three fishes, made him popular with the people."

"The fascination that attaches to personal popularity is almost akin to intoxication, and it is true that in many instances men are far more pleased with popular praise than with immense salaries. It is probable that Jesus had enough of the human in him to be susceptible to the influence of the stimulating effects of the popular acclaim that greeted him at that period in his life."

"He must put that away from him, and in the talk with his disciples, in which he told them that in eating his flesh and drinking his blood, they were partaking of life eternal, he was telling them that they had mistaken his mission. They professed not to fully understand, but they understood enough to know that they had been given heaven for the earth which they sought."

"Then came the defection. There is evidence that Jesus felt bad because of the sudden loss of popularity. We cannot help sympathizing with those who fought a losing battle. Jesus was a fine grained man, and that he felt keenly the turn in the popular tide is seen in the pathetic questioning appeal to Peter 'And wilt thou go away from me?'"

"In our modern life there are those who turn away from Jesus and his gospel, and affect to be broad minded, liberal minded and to possess an insight to things that the Christian does not fathom."

"Peter understood Jesus to be referring to eternal life, and knew not to whom to turn if he deserted Jesus. So today, to whom shall we turn? There is nothing so satisfying to the soul as the knowledge of Jesus Christ."

The speaker then related a story of a Christian mother "who watched her only son wandering away day by day, and month by month, approaching the grave, for the hand of death was upon him in the form of a fatal disease. When the final came that mother testified that the love of Jesus was all that sustained her through the awful trial."

"My friends there is something real in this gospel; these things are not fables that have come down to us, but are real things of God."

DEATH OF MRS. ANNE BUR- BANK OF BETHEL.

Mrs. Anne Howe, widow of the late Barker Burbank, passed away at her home on Church street, Sunday evening after a long illness.

Mrs. Burbank was born in Bethel, Nov. 30, 1833, and was the daughter of Elmer and Abigail Burbank Howe. She was married about six years ago to Mr. Barker Burbank of Orléans where they resided until Mr. Burbank's death two years later. She then moved to Bethel, where she has since resided.

The deceased leaves two brothers, who reside in the West and one sister, Mrs. Saunders of Hallowell, besides nieces and nephews.

By her gentle manner and Christian spirit, she made many friends, who will be saddened by her death. Funeral services were held in the Bethel Church on Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock. Rev. W. C. Corbin, of Bethel, officiated. Interment at Riverside cemetery.

LOCAL HISTORY.

Rev. Daniel Gould, whose
Name Bethel's Acad-
emy Perpetuates.

Incidental Memorandum—By
Leonard B. Chapman.
Number 4.

IPSWICH AND TOPSFIELD.

The real reasons why Zacheus Gould, the immigrant ancestor of Rev. Daniel Gould, came to America are not known, nor is the exact date of his arrival here, or who came with him besides his wife and children. He first appears on record as settled upon the territory of "Agawan," now known as Ipswich, Mass.

In 1636 the court ordered "that the bounds of Ipswich shall extend six miles into the country, and as the population flowed in and spread over the surface, the town limits became increased to its present size, and having Howley on the north, Buxford and Topsfield on the west, Hamilton and Essex on the south and the ocean on the east."

In addition to the nine names of persons who were in the town of Ipswich in 1633, to the year of 1652, it appears that 332 other persons had lived in the town. The names are preserved in print with dates of arrival, the name of Edward Chapman the immigrant ancestor of the Chapman tribe at Bethel, appearing in 1644, but the name of Zacheus Gould does not present itself.

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FRIDAY, THE 16TH, WAS BOOZE DAY IN RUM- FORD.

Last Friday in Rumford was a peculiar day in this respect. A large number of men of all sorts and kinds were boozing. Some were half drunk, some were wholly drunk, and some merely stimulated.

A man asked the Citizen the cause of it.

It is beyond the Citizen's power to explain, but this suggestion by a man about town, may have a grain of truth in it. He said: "It seems just as though these whose business it is to dispense liquor, were bound to show the officers that even though their places of business are closed or so closely watched that even a pitcher of beer cannot be kept in stock, that the thirsty can be made drunken just the same."

We do not know of a more discouraging problem to the official than the rum selling business. The greater, and fundamental problem is to prevent men from buying and drinking vile whiskey.

The conditions in Rumford last Friday were such that one would be pardoned for advocating padlocks for the mouths of all men who "booze." The Citizen will keep calling attention to this disgraceful boozing habit that has broken loose in Rumford, until something else breaks loose, and reformation takes place, or the writer is done for.

SUNDAY CLOSING IN SAN- FORD.

The Sunday closing orders in Sanford were obeyed two Sundays and then disregarded, and although one drag-net was used \$2.00 in the municipal court, he appealed and has a trenchant communication in the Tribune, in which he "recalls those who have a penchant for 'putting the law to someone.'" He says those who are so anxious to have an obsolete law enforced on Sunday are guilty of breaking good laws every day in the week, and calls upon them to come "off their perches."

Another storeman advertises that he will keep closed when he is satisfied that a majority of the people so desire. He will keep open Sundays until the majority of the citizens so record themselves. Consistent with the result, comes a proposition to have tall games on Sunday afternoons.

The popular feeling is aroused, and evidently as much against the Civic League that two clergymen have patently duped having any connection with the league as the Sunday closing movement. It is hard to satisfy a majority of the people that it is right for some to be run, and mills to operate on Sunday, and wrong for stores to sell goods.

CONFERENCE WEEK OF M. E. CHURCHES

At Berlin, N. H. The Program.

The Maine Methodist conference is being held with the Mount Forest church of Berlin, N. H., this week, Bishop William F. McDowell, D. D., LL. D., presiding. The program is as follows:

TUESDAY.

7:30 p. m. Conference reunion, service, Rev. John Collins, leader.

WEDNESDAY.

9 a. m. Opening of the conference. Sacrament of the Lord's supper.

2:30 p. m. Meeting of itinerants' institution for examination of classes and election of officers. Rev. W. F. Berry, D. D., chairman; Rev. F. A. Leitch, Ph. D., registrar.

2 p. m. Anniversary of the board of conference claimants, Rev. J. Frank Haley, D. D., presiding. Address by J. B. Hingley, D. D.

3 p. m. Temperance anniversary. Address by Rev. J. H. Dobbins, D. D., on "The Dynamics of the Modern Temperance Movement." Rev. W. F. Berry, D. D., presiding.

4 p. m. Address by Rev. John P. D.

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SENSATIONAL CHARGES AGAINST THE SOCIETY OF ELKS.

An article in last week's Collier's, in which it is stated that the saloon interests control the society of Elks, has caused much comment in all places where the order has lodges. Collier's exact language is as follows:

"In the first place they (the saloon men) dominate wherever they can, that well know society, called the Elks. In many towns the Elks are led by the best and most influential citizens, and such men blush over the domination in other places."

"In our office are numerous letters from the better class of Elks, protesting against the tricks played in the name of that society, by saloon men, wherever they have control."

In connection with this matter, Collier's, in explaining the methods by which the public is deceived, about this and other matters, says:

"Fifteen persons out of twenty fall easy victims to such tricks. For the majority head lines make the news. * * * Yes, O philosopher, think all this absurd! Alas, you know not the credulity of the human soul. dwell it west or east, or south or north."

It is expected that the Elks will take some official action concerning the charges made in this publication.

MASTERPIECE.

The attention of the readers of the Oxford County Citizen is especially called to the advertisement in this paper of the five year old stallion, Masterpiece, sired by May King, 230; the sire of the great Hagen; 206-1-4. Danby (Cayenne); the dam of Alcyoness; 230-1-4. This will be welcome news to the breeders of fine horses; as so many wanted to breed to him last season. His season opens May first and closes July fifteenth; when he will be shipped to Mr. Robert Waite at Lewiston to be trained for the race next fall. Masterpiece will make his season at the River side Park, and will be in charge of Frank C. Billings.

WANTED—Eight or ten setting hens at once. Will give 40 cents for Plymouth Rocks and 30 cents for other kinds. Delivered at my home on Park St., Bethel. JOHN NELSON.

FOR SALE—One Top Doggy Wagon. Cheap and most new. Inquire of C. C. BRYANT, Bethel, Me.

FOR SALE—Cameron Roadster, 4 cylinder, 16 horse power, equipped with everything. Used about six months. Address Box 245, Rumford Me., or call at Hatcheson's law office.

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WANT COLUMN.

Put your Want and Sale notices here and they will be read in 3,000 Oxford County homes—4 lines 1 week, 25c. 3 weeks, 50c.

FOR SALE—Second hand Harnesses of all kinds. Mr. FERNALD, Bethel, Maine.

Dr. Daniels—Horse Colic—Cure—cures or money back—at any dealers; Insure your horse against Colic.

DRESS MAKING—I am prepared to do dress making for the public and guarantee prompt attention and satisfactory results. Mrs. N. L. MASON, West Bethel.

WANTED—Trustworthy man or woman in each county to advertise, receive orders and manage business for New York Mail Order House, \$18.00 weekly; position permanent; no investment required. Previous experience not essential to engaging. Spare time valuable. Enclose self addressed envelope for full particulars. Address CLARKE CO., Wholesale Dept., 103 Park Ave., New York.

RING UP THE CITIZEN OFFICE, Bethel or Rumford, and wherever happens to be on the other end of the line will whisper in your ear and tell you where you can buy an automobile worth \$500 for \$250. And the Citizen man won't charge you the other \$250 for the whisper, either.

WANTED—Four first class carpenters, for both inside finishing and outside work. GILBERT TUELL, Bethel, Maine.

HELP WANTED—Several young women in our Post Card Shop. Apply at once. WHITTEN & DENNISON, West Bethel, Me.

WANTED—A boy to learn the printing business. Apply to WHITTEN & DENNISON, West Bethel, Me.

CAUTION About 1 in 10 of the Souvenir Post Cards mailed at the Bethel post office, contain no stamp. It costs the party to whom such cards are addressed three cents to get them. Don't forget to affix a one-cent stamp to your souvenir cards. J. C. BILKINS, P. M.

PINK AND GREEN TOURMA Lines—Very fine and for sale very cheap. Inquire of HARRY DUDLEY, Bethel, Me.

STANLEY STRAMER—Surrey type, seats four. Good condition, new boiler, pump, etc. Many extras. Price right. HENRY T. HOOPER, 452 Congress St., Portland, Me.

FOR SALE—HOWE SEWING Machine with full attachments, all in first class condition. Inquire at CITIZEN OFFICE, Bethel, Me.

BIGGS FOR HATCHING from pure bred B. C. Rhode Island Reds, from large vigorous birds of a great laying strain. \$1.00 per setting of 15. H. FRANK RICHARDSON, Canton, Maine.

WANTED—Ten Girls on piece work and one better man at our factory at South Paris. Good wages. Apply at once. MASON MFG. CO., South Paris, Maine.

MEN WANTED to work in Garage, and learn driving and repairing. Three weeks will fit you for \$25 per week position. Great demand for men. Write now for best positions. PORTLAND AUTOMOBILE CO., Portland, Me.

FOR SALE—Horse, harness and road cart. Inquire of Cutting and Libby, Harness Shop, 25 Canal Street, Rumford, Me.

FOR SALE—One and one-half story cottage house in Rumford village, 3 rooms in best of condition. Lot 600 front by 100 deep with fruit trees. Owner obliged to sell. Good opportunity to buy reasonably.

One and one-half story, 5 room cottage house with stable and hen house. One acre of land. Located within two miles of Oxford Mill on direct country road in village of Mexico. Can be bought for very little. Also hotel and farm property. Call on John H. LONGLEY, Back Back, Rumford.

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WEST BETHEL.

The Local Happenings as Told by Our Special Reporter.

Don't forget the baked bean supper at the home of Mrs. M. O'Brien tonight.

Mrs. Wesley Dennis spent Sunday in Gilead.

Miss May Sears returned to her home in Massachusetts, Saturday.

Miss Howe is spending the week in Hanover and Portland.

Mrs. V. D. Fletcher of Gorham, made a business call in the village, Saturday.

Mrs. Fox is attending the Methodist conference in Berlin, this week.

Miss M. Angie Dingley of So. Casco came Saturday to accept a position as stenographer with Whitten & Deming.

Misses Hall, Horton and Devine have returned from their vacation.

Mr. Eben Scribner came up from Bethel, Sunday, returning by train in the evening.

Miss Edith Briggs of South Paris was a guest of Mrs. O'Brien over Sunday.

A number of young men walked up from Bethel, Sunday, returning by train.

E. P. Grover and son Adrian, were loading a car of hay for Stahl Bros. of Berlin, Monday.

C. S. Wight and wife of Boston, returned to their home Thursday, the 15th, after caring for his sister, Mrs. Geo. Grover for the past few weeks.

Mrs. Rob. Cushing is now taking care of Mrs. Grover, who is still very low.

Mr. Thomas Vashaw spent Sunday in Portland. Mrs. Vashaw is reported to be recovering nicely from her operation at the hospital, there.

Mr. Wm. Francis and Hugh Milliken, went to Biddeford Friday, the former being called home on account of the serious illness of his mother.

The post office at West Bethel has been changed to 3rd class office. It is also now an International Money Order Office and is ready to serve the public in that way.

NEWRY.
J. E. Allen put his hemlock pulp in to the river last Monday.

H. S. Hastings and G. H. Learned unloaded a car of hay last Monday.

N. W. Frost is improving.

Elmer Bailey is working for W. W. Kilgore at North Newry.

There was quite a thunder shower last Monday.

MARSHALL DISTRICT.
The Briggs was in Mason, last Sunday.

Mr. Vivian Lord is gaining.

Mr. Roy Grover of Mason is in town, enlarging pictures, he also has a fine assortment of post cards.

Nina and Irene Briggs are visiting relatives and friends in Mason.

Many were saddened to hear of the death of Mr. Charles Danham, another one of our old soldiers has passed to that higher life.

Fannie Briggs is caring for her sister, Eva Wheeler, who has been very sick.

HOROSCOPE FOR APRIL.

Males born this month will be ill tempered, hot-headed, cold feeted, and generally disagreeable. Will be artistic in nature and anarchistic in desire.

Will be public spirited, with inclination to join improvement societies and the Volunteer Hose Company at Broadway and twenty-third Street. Will believe in spiritualism in drink and absent treatment in the payment of their debts. Will swear, both in and out of court. Will not trust their friends or be trusted by them. When amate upon the cheek will smite the smiter. Should be careful to protect their good names from assault and their feet from frost bites. Should avoid yellow journals, Mangan's, business and unions.

Females born this month will begin their prayers with a man and end with a man. Will get "red headed" when angry and because someone said it was becoming. The small size of their shoes will cause sighs. Will use the X-rays on their neighbors. Will have the faculty of making a millionaire feel like six cents and to convince a half room boy that he owns the earth. Will be able to extract a charity contribution from Betty Greco, and a smile from an elevated guard. Know as much as they know, and more. Smart enough to wig a ring from a ringier. Will trouble around even if they are not the style. Must be careful of smooth fellows that are beautiful and bearded fellows that are smooth. Avoid theaters, dances, amusements and Lydia Pinkham.

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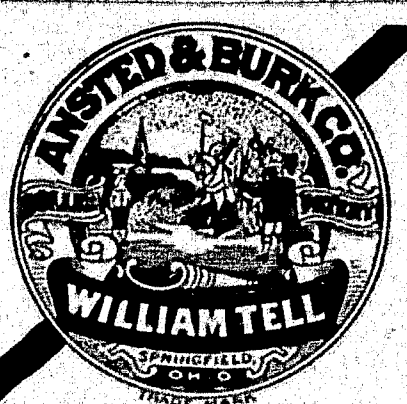
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NOTICE OF SALE.

Pursuant to a license from the Honorable Addison E. Herriek, Judge of Probate, for the County of Oxford, I shall sell at public auction, on the nineteenth day of May, A. D. 1909, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at my residence, all the right, title and interest which Doreas S. Cushman, late of Bethel in said county, deceased, had in and to the following described real estate, viz:—

One-half in common and undivided of the following named and described real estate, to wit:—a certain lot or parcel being the north part of lot numbered fourteen in the second range of lots in said Bethel being the part of the homestead farm of the said James S. Hutchins on which the buildings stand. Also, another lot or parcel of land lying on the southeasterly corner of said farm between the Grand Trunk Railroad and Alder River. Also, fifty acres of land off the south end of lot numbered thirteen in the third range of lots in said Bethel. Also, the north half of lot numbered thirteen in the second range of lots in said Bethel. Also, a part of lot numbered fourteen in the third range of lots in said Bethel, bounded as follows:—Beginning at a stake set in the ground on the west side of the road leading from Bethel to Greenwood on the southerly line of said lot and running westerly on said lot line to the southwest corner of the lot; thence northerly on the westerly lot line twenty-five rods to a stake and stone; thence easterly to the road nine rods northwesterly from the point began at; thence southwesterly on said road to the first mentioned bound, containing six acres, more or less.

Also a certain lot or parcel of land being the north easterly corner of lot numbered thirteen in range three and the southeasterly corner of lot numbered thirteen in range four and bounded as follows:—Beginning at a point on the road leading from the schoolhouse near Walker's Mills, so-called, in said Bethel over the Chandler Hill so-called in said Bethel, said point being the northeasterly corner of what is now the homestead farm of Edgar E. Chase and the northwesterly corner of a parcel of land named and described in a deed given by Jonathan Abbott to Ira Cushman dated May 19th, 1858 and recorded in Oxford Registry, Book 114, page 303 being a part of the tract here by described said point being also on the line of land of the heirs of Perry Chandler; thence easterly on the line of said heirs to land of Elijah Brown; thence southerly on line of said Brown land and line of land of A. B. Hunt, formerly, in the land of J. Gayton Abbott; thence westerly on said Abbott line to said road; thence northerly to the first mentioned bound, containing seventy-five acres more or less, with all exceptions and reservations appertaining thereto, being the said Doreas S. Cushman's interest in the land described here and Virtue G. Hutchins by deed dated January 8th, 1893, recorded in Oxford Registry of Deeds, Book 231, page 391.

Also a certain piece or parcel of land situated on the south side of the Androscoggin River in said Bethel and being a part of the so-called "Carter Meadow" and being the same real estate conveyed to Virtue W. Cushman by Ira Cushman by his deed of quit claim dated Dec. 19th, 1893, and recorded in Oxford Registry, Book 240, page 479 and being the same premises assigned to Doreas S. Cushman by Hiram C. Carter by his deed of assignment, dated March 13th, 1895, recorded in said Registry, Book 246, page 8.

Dated this 13th day of April A. D. 1909.

JAMES S. HUTCHINS,
Administrator.

HORTICULTURE

HAVE A GOOD GARDEN.

It Will Pay Both from a Health and a Money Standpoint.

What we eat is about half our living expenses, and what can be grown in the home garden may make up a large share of what we eat. It is simply surprising to find how many and how much good things can be grown in the garden with good soil, good plants and good cultivation.

I remember one year my mother counted up the value of our garden products and found it to be about \$125 on an eighth of an acre. That is at the rate of \$1,000 per acre for a single season, but it is possible in almost any place with right fertilization and cultivation.

Many vegetables should be grown in the garden for both summer and winter use. We need a green vegetable diet in winter just as much as in summer and people in general would be more healthy if they would eat more green food during cold months.

Right now in winter farmers with the very best conditions for good gardens are buying cabbage and onions from the stores when they could have grown them with only a little labor. Many others are doing without them entirely. It seems that every farmer ought to grow all the vegetables for the family needs each year, and for all the year, and have some for sale, rather than be compelled to buy.

Many gardeners never have a crop of celery, egg plant, asparagus, horseradish, parsnips, carrots and many other wholesome vegetables, simply because they think they are not able to grow them. It is true that some people seem to have more "luck" than others with garden plants. However, luck, in gardening, is simply the result of earnest and intelligent work. The trouble with many people is that they do not actually love garden work or any other work for that matter, will never succeed at it. But the one who loves plants and loves to grow them can grow anything in the garden line.

A good gardener is always enthused with his work and in winter reads the seed catalogues and dreams of spring. When spring comes he is ready for the work with a full supply of seeds on hand. The poor gardener must be driven into the garden and the good gardener can't be driven out of it. That makes the difference.

Some people go south for winter gardening, but winter gardening can also be done in the north. The soil can be fertilized, plants laid out, seeds selected and purchased, hot bed built and started and everything got in readiness for the season's planting. Besides, there are always perennial vegetables—rhubarb, asparagus, horseradish—which under the mulch are dormant but full of life and ready to grow with the first signs of coming mild weather. Parsnips are left in the ground till mid-winter and longer in central latitudes and are not at their best till after a dozen or more good frozings and thaws in the garden soil. They can be dug and used fresh from the cold soil from January to March. Horseradish is not at its best till the latter part of February. Freezing and thawing do not injure, but add flavor to the pungent roots. The bed of winter onions begin to show shoots of tender green up through the straw or sawdust covering amid the light frozings of early spring, leading the long march of less hardy vegetables that are to come.

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GARDEN NOTES.

Garden and orchard work can go right on in the winter as well as in the summer. There are many little things which can be done in the cold months. Repairing fences and pruning are never out of season.

Grapes that have not been trained should be attended to at once. Late winter or early spring cutting of grapevines results in excessive loss of sap, "bleeding," and is a distinct injury to the plants.

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PERU.

Mrs. Nina Kidder is not gaining as we wish she might.

Eddie Wood and family are moving into C. S. Walker's house. Mr. Wood comes from West Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Libby from Hartford were visiting friends here last week. Mrs. Libby was formerly Miss Sara Hazleton of this town.

Hollis Turner Esq., a former resident, is in town for two weeks, both a business and pleasure trip. Mr. Turner is writing up the history of the town, an undertaking that means a great deal of hard work and a determined effort. Mr. Turner also stands second to none as pension agent.

Traveling on the River road is quite feasible and the R. F. D. carriers are making regular trips on the cross roads. A good deal of shoveling had to be done in places.

The question to be discussed at the next Grange meeting here is "Is it partial for the farmer and for the best interest of the consumer, to have the cows tested each year?"

Notice was received yesterday of the May meeting of the Association of R. F. D. carriers. It will be held with the congregation at East Ham, May 1st. A good program is arranged and reduced rates on the rail road. Let's plan for a large attendance.

SMILE AND BE GLAD.

If you want to get the worth of the bargain of life cultivate gladness. The one who mopes doesn't enjoy herself and surely no one enjoys her.

Anyone can be glad when things go her way; to be glad when the mail breaks your best dinner set, and the truck on which you've broken yourself earns out a freight shows a disposition that can be counted on to life's words.

There's a lot of gladness going, but none of us are blind to it. What we want is to take life like a healthy child and find enjoyment in simple things. We can cultivate our central side until it takes the rest from everything.

What if we haven't an overabundant pocketbook, need we hang down the corners of our mouth when there is health and the outdoors and love to make for gladness?

Does it come easier to look on the black side of the coin of misfortune, become your natural state? Forget it and take to grinning.

At first that grin may be so strained, but most of your friends will think it more lovely than your usual hanging expression. The brand improves with practice.

Forced cheerfulness is not pleasing, but it is better than chronic depression. Keep pumping out that oil of gladness and by and by the damps will be lubricated.

Life isn't an effort to be glad; it is just being glad. You cannot worry yourself into it; neither does it come by stimulation; it does come from taking life easy and enjoying things whether they were meant to be enjoyed or not.

You and one, try for a day to hunt causes for gladness. Instead of summing up your woes and moping over the total, get in a receptive mood for joy. You'll be surprised at the end of the day to find how many have been the occasions for smiling.

Does your head ache? Sample the laugh cure. Are the children obstreperous? Don't mope over your sorry lot, but chase them with a smile. Does the future seem a coal black wall? See what kind of a wedge a day of cheerfulness can make.

Gladness never comes with time to think about your troubles, so get busy. The full life is rarely the somber life. Get grateful for your mistakes; you may think it takes a magnifying glass to find them, but the eye is sharpened by the looking.

If you have no other cause for gladness, if your friends are not what they should be, if fortune frowns and things generally seem "ratty," just be glad you are alive—H. Lewis Oakes-Demo.

NORWAY AND SOUTH PARIS

NORWAY.

Mr. John Wood was in Belfast last week attending the State Convention of the New England Order of Protection.

Verne Rich had the misfortune to sprain his right wrist while handling some heavy cases at the shoe factory. Given Rich carries on the spring water business until the sprain improves.

William H. Leith was in town a few days last week, the guest of Percy H. Nevers. During his short stay, the base ball outlook was carefully reviewed and everything points to a successful launching of the Radcliffe team within three weeks. Several business men are working with a subscription paper, and all lovers of clean sport, signify a desire to aid financially. If the deal goes quickly "Bill" Leith will import a few fast players and strengthen considerably the line-up carried last season.

Harry P. Downing was in Bath recently and purchased a twenty-five foot gasoline launch, to be used as a passenger boat on Lake Penesseewassee this coming summer. Steamer Zanita the regular boat will be overhauled and used as an auxiliary launch to accommodate picnic parties or excess patrons from the new craft.

Philip Stevens managed a dance last Friday night in West Paris. Dunham's hall being used for the purpose. Irish and Tuell furnished the music and everyone present had a good time. Another assembly will be held in two weeks.

Gateless Vaudeville and Moving picture Co. had the opera house Thursday evening. Attendance fair.

Carl Foss is proving to be an excellent amateur boat builder. During the winter, his spare time has been given up in a profitable way, resulting in the completing of a staunch gasoline launch; everything home made but the motor and the iron work. This new craft was constructed under the "Brooks System" of prepared forms; is sixteen foot keel, five foot beam and carries a 5 1/2 H. P. gasoline motor. Carl and his many friends will begin to enjoy life when the ice disappears from the lake.

Luther Emerson has moved his family from the Williamson rent at the Falls to a house known as the John Foley place on Pearl street. Ernest March of the Norway Advertiser, is now comfortably settled in the rest vacated by Mr. Emerson.

Hiram Libby is organizer and manager of a ball team to be known as "Norway Crescents." The following line up indicates a collection of good material. Catcher, Carl Foss; pitcher, Fred Lafance; 1st base, Chas. Pike; 2nd base, Harold Anderson; 3rd base, Pete Bealier; ss., Walter Smith; if, Gerald Thompson; cf., Hiram Gale; if, Hugh Bethell. The above is subject to slight changes in position, but Manager Libby proposes to try out the bunch and watch developments before passing final judgment.

Henry Siegel is through shoemaking and returned to his life long occupation as canvasser. This time he represents Moore Bros., purveyors of man-made shoes, and has put out large quantities of the product in Norway. He is now working through Livermore Falls, Canton and other towns near that part of the county.

Saturday evening was the bazaar night at the moving pictures in Norway Opera House. Manager Robbins presented a strong bill which was fully appreciated by the large crowd in attendance. The feature picture was "The Mexican Earthquake" showing the havoc wrought by this great convulsion of nature. Other excellent films were; "Modern Magic," "A Surprise Package," "Lord Featherbottom's Manners and Customs in Australia," and "Uncle by Marriage." Anna Robbins rendered the illustrated song "Take Me to Moving Pictures" and Mr. Barrett sang "Rain in the Face" with comedy illustrations on the screen. A laughable sketch "Bound to be an Actor" given by Glenmore and Barrett, proved a strong number.

Miss Miss Jewett, assistant in the Bellevue Hospital, New York is in town visiting her mother, Mrs. Ella Jewett Cole.

Mr. Myron Watson has accepted a position with C. H. Stuart & Co., N. J., as traveling demonstrator of their concentrated extracts and performs in paste form, put up in this metal tobacco. Mr. Watson will introduce this new article to the retail and wholesale trade on a circuit which will take few weeks to cover. He started out Tuesday.

If you don't believe Dr. Farmer can grind a lens correctly, just take a peep in his store window, where he can be seen any day working on his new optical machine. The knack of grinding lenses easy from the outside but a close range view will show that they are far away. A kicker against so-called high prices in glasses, should view the delicate process of convert-

SOUTH PARIS.

A good sized delegation from the Harry Rust Post and Corps of Norway, accepted the invitation to the campfire of William K. Kimball Post and ladies of the G. A. R. at Grand Army Hall in this village, Saturday afternoon. After an excellent dinner, Rev. J. H. Little was made chairman of the meeting and after his opening remarks, the following persons contributed to the enjoyment of the afternoon. There were vocal solos by Miss Sue Wheeler and Mrs. Alton C. Wheeler, piano and violin duets by the Misses Ida and Grace Dean and remarks by Rev. T. N. Kowley, Rev. A. T. McWhorter and Rev. J. W. Chesbro. There were also remarks by the president of the Norway Corps and other interesting speakers, making the afternoon a very pleasant one for all present.

There will be work in the first degree at the meeting of Mt. Mica Lodge this Thursday evening.

The rains of last week brought the river up to the highest pitch that it has been since the great freshet of several years ago and caused some uneasiness to those who owned property on the banks of the river.

Increased business has made it necessary for A. E. Shurtleff to enlarge his grain mill. Work has already begun on an addition of quite large proportions.

Mr. W. A. Bunting, wife and family of Bethel, spent Sunday at Fred P. Chandler's. Mr. Bunting was formerly station agent at Bethel and has resigned to accept a position in Seattle, Washington.

Frank B. Fogg has sold the auto, which he recently purchased in Lewiston, to Alton C. Maxim.

Richard H. Gates and Leslie E. Newell have been chosen as traverse jurors for the May term of court to be held at Rumford.

South Paris Board of Trade are soon to enjoy a banquet at Hotel Andrews, William J. Wheeler, A. E. Shurtleff, and W. A. Porter being the members placed on the committee to make the necessary arrangements.

Mt. Mica Lodge, I. O. O. F., Mt. Pleasant Rebekah Lodge and Aurora Encampment, will unite in a general observance of the 90th anniversary of the order, which occurs on April 26th. The anniversary sermon will be preached by Rev. T. N. Kowley at the Methodist church next Sunday at 3:30, and the other exercises will be held in the lodge room Monday evening with the three branches of the order and a few invited guests present.

We understand that Friday evening, April 23rd, is to be gentlemen's night with the Married Ladies' Whist Club. Fun Ton hall will be the meeting place on this occasion.

George Jones of Portland has been the guest at his son's, Joseph Jones', for a few days.

A. W. Walker & Son have given notice to the farmers that they will hold their annual sale of farming implements, gasoline engines, etc., on Saturday, April 24th. It will be an all day's sale with a lunch served at noon.

Several of our merchants have had new awnings placed over their windows the past week, among whom are the N. Dayton Holster Co., J. P. Richardson, and H. G. Fletcher.

Roy H. Curtis and wife of Readfield, spent a few days with his mother, Mrs. Ellen Curtis, last week.

Louis Clark has been obliged to give up his studying at Bardett Business College, on account of trouble with his eyes, and has returned home.

We understand that house cleaning in our village is to be made easy by the aid of a vacuum cleaner, to be operated by George Beaneit.

John C. McArdle of Lynn, Mass., is visiting his mother and other relatives in town for a few days.

Donald S. Briggs, who is teaching at East Dixfield, was at home over Sunday, returning to his work Monday.

Perkins' next and last theatre special of this season will be run to Lewiston, April 30th to the drama "Granstar." Patriot's Day passed rather quietly here. There were a few games of ball but they were all practice games and did not have much interest for any one except those taking part in them. Our patriotic citizens displayed "Old Glory" in front of their homes and places of business. The weather was warm and comfortable so everyone could get out of doors and get a little of the life springing air, but we got our day's allowance of rain about four o'clock in the form of a thunder shower. The Paris Manufacturing Company ran their factory as usual, but they were about the only ones that asked their employes to work during the day.

Paris High School will open its baseball season next Saturday with a game against Mechanic Falls High school, to be played on the high school grounds.

ing plain glass into lenses with the proper curvature.

In this village.

The drama "The Old Dairy Home-stand" presented here Thursday and Friday evenings of last week by local talent for the benefit of Hamlin Lodge, K. of P. gave great satisfaction. The cast was a strong one, each member of the company adapting themselves to their various parts in a very successful manner. From the title of the play, one would get the idea that it was a rural comedy but it did not contain but a very little of the rural element, being more of a mixture of several styles of plays. Its comedy element was strong, there being a lot of very laughable situations which were decidedly amusing without being silly. While all deserve praise for the manner in which they performed their parts, the work of Clyde T. Hubbard and Harold C. Fletcher was particularly pleasing to your correspondent, their parts giving them abundant opportunity to display their talent. The attendance was good, although not as large as it has been for some plays, and not as large as the quality of the entertainment deserved.

NORTH HARTFORD.

The sap run is nearly over and they report a poor run in this vicinity.

Mrs. Nettie Stetson is having her house newly papered and painted. Albie Barrows of East Sumner is doing the work.

Freeland Farnum drove in three head of cattle recently; the two heifers being bought of Lester Varney, and one cow of Charlie Bonney of Sumner.

J. F. Davenport has a very large woodpile just completed. We don't think he intends to go cold another winter.

Mrs. Ellen Carver sold two of her cows to Bert Davis of Woodstock one day this week. Mr. Ezekiel Carter of Wilton, stopped over night with J. F. Davenport. He was looking after cows and oxen, but found them rather scarce.

Amasa Carter, who has been in poor health for some months past, is on the gain.

Horace Farrar is staying with his cousin, Mrs. Minnie Carter. He is in very poor health, just getting over the mumps, leaving him with a bilious trouble.

Mattie Jacobs had the misfortune to catch her foot in a braided rug, throwing her headlong. She escaped with no broken bones but was left with a black eye and a number of other black and blue marks.

There was a bee at A. F. Carter's Friday in order to secure water, as their windmill had failed to bring the water. They dug a ditch draining the well, so as to get at the lower valves and found them to be filled with sand, cleaning them out and repairing them they have plenty of water in the house and barn.

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If your appetite is feeble, and nothing tempts you, or you belch gas or if you feel bloated after eating, or your food lies like a lump of lead on your stomach, you can make up your mind that at the bottom of all this there is but one cause—fermentation of undigested food.

Prove to yourself, after your next meal, that your stomach is as good as any; that there is nothing really wrong. Stop this fermentation and begin eating what you want without fear of discomfort or misery.

Almost instant relief is waiting for you. It is merely a matter of how soon you take a little Diapepsin.

ALWAYS HAVE NEURALGIC ANODYNE ON HAND

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GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM

Time Table In Effect

Trains Going East.

Stations	No. 4 Daily A.M.	No. 6 Ex. Sun. A.M.	No. 2 Daily P.M.
Berlin, leave	7:45	8:05	3:35
Gorham, leave	4:00	8:20	3:06
Gilead, leave	4:24	8:40	3:27
West Bethel, leave	4:35	8:51	3:38
BETHEL, leave	4:46	9:01	3:45
Locke's Mills, leave		9:11	3:54
Bryan's Pond, leave	5:05	9:20	4:03
South Paris, leave	5:36	9:50	4:33
Lewiston, arrive	6:40	10:55	5:35
Portland, arrive	7:30	11:45	6:30

Trains Going West.

Stations	No. 3 Daily A.M.	No. 5 Ex. Sun. P.M.	No. 1 Daily P.M.
Portland, leave	8:05	1:30	7:00
Lewiston, leave	8:50	2:25	7:50
South Paris, leave	9:50	3:26	8:47
Bryan's Pond, leave	10:18	4:03	9:18
Locke's Mills, leave	10:26	4:15	9:26
BETHEL, leave	10:35	4:25	9:37
West Bethel, leave	10:42	4:35	9:46
Gilead, leave	10:53	4:51	9:59
Gorham, leave	11:17	5:20	10:25
Berlin, leave	11:31	5:37	10:40

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THURSDAY, APRIL 22, 1909.

The Laabon Enterprise is very much wrought up over the veto of the Hastings bill, and condemns Gov. Fernald in strong language.

The employers' liability law does not extend to employees engaged in cutting or driving logs. Those are occupations in which skill alone is a workman's protection.

The description of the State flag, as contained in the first section of the act providing for the same, reads very much after the scriptural style of the Ark specifications, and directions for building the same.

Cipriano Castro, former president of Venezuela, must be a man of desperate character and purpose, or a patriot of the highest quality, since nearly every man's hand is against him. That is a situation that as often befalls the patriot as the traitor.

"Everywhere you turn you see the printed admonition, 'Forget It.' Mighty poor advice, for to forget things would rob life of its discipline. We can forgive, but memory should never be shut—Homer's Reporter.

There is sense in the Reporter's idea. We are forgetting too much. The lessons of yesterday are the guides, or should be, of today. We may be also in danger of forgetting too much, but we add, and we hope, the charity limit.

Tanoff Posen, the Russian revolutionary refugee, will not be sent back to Russia by the United States government, although that was the original decision of the Immigration Commission. The Russian government demanded his return, alleging that he was a criminal. The case attracted world wide attention, and the ever of the officers were opposed, or their hearts torn, and the decision was reversed.

One of the most prominent words now appearing in "quits" and used in connection with legal battle is "joker." It seems that in many sections of the tariff bill now before Congress there are "jokers." That means that underhanded and tricky methods are employed, the purpose being to deceive the honest men on the committee, and defeat the real object of the bill or particular section in which the "joker" is placed. Why is it that men think it smart to deceive their fellows?

We have carefully read the editorial in the Civil League for February, for statements in which Rev. H. N. Pringle has been indicted by the grand jury of Kennebec County. The facts are that witnesses against certain accused men were disappeared. Mr. Pringle says it looks as though the witnesses were intimidated, and assumes that the rumormongers furnished the means. From recent disclosures in Oxford County, we are inclined to think Mr. Pringle is right. Whether or not he has misled lawyers Hens and Hensley, may be a question, but we believe that Mr. Pringle is right in saying that some one furnished money for the witnesses to go away with.

The Rumford Board of Trade is going to take a more prominent part in the affairs of the town hereafter, and plans for more effective work to be developed. There are many ways in which the meetings of the Board can be made interesting, and of value to the town. The fact that the shoe factory proposed was not worth while, is no reason to suppose all other proposals are useless. Let the Board of Trade get down to work, and report itself with information as to what can be accomplished in the town, and then and only then, will it be of any use.

can be induced to establish in the place. The Board can also help improve the town in promoting internal improvements.

The State of Nebraska has enacted a bank guaranty law, similar to that proposed by Mr. Bryan for the nation. The Commissioner says:

"The Nebraska law collects a fund of one per cent. on the total deposits of the fund to be raised by semi-annual assessment of a quarter of one per cent. After that, the fund is replenished by a semi-annual tax of one-tenth of one per cent. with provision for an emergency assessment at any time, not to exceed one per cent. in any year. While the fund thus raised is not large compared with the total deposits, and while the maximum emergency assessment is very conservative, still the security given to the depositor is absolute, and it is just as well to give this security in such a way as not to create unnecessary fear among the stockholders of the banks."

GEORGE T. ANGELL.

In the death of George T. Angell of Boston, the animal creation has lost a faithful defender. As is the way of the world, Mr. Angell received but scant praise, and some curses, because he spoke for those who could not speak for themselves, and often against those endowed with speech, but with no kindness of heart. The thought of reward, or of forfeit did not influence Mr. Angell. His forfeit of the good will of animal abusers was really a reward. Did he receive any other reward?

Those who ever had the pleasure of looking into his kindly eyes, and upon his sympathetic and expressive face know that he needed no material reward. The happiness he got from relieving the pain of dumb creatures, was his full pay. The world hath need of more of his type.

"DAYLIGHT SALOON."

As an illustration of the fact that many things flourish under high sounding names that serve as popular "dope," we cite the so-called "Daylight Saloon Law" recently enacted in Nebraska.

The law prescribes that the saloon shall be open from 7 a. m. until 5 p. m. The idea is that the laborer can't get a drink before he goes to work in the morning, and that he has but a short time after supper to "liquor up" in—just about time enough for a German to drink one glass of beer, and a Yankee or an Irishman to get loudly drunk on whiskey.

Thirteen hours for the business man, the clerk and the man-about-town, to indulge himself. Since when has the latter class been less worth protecting from strong drink than the former? States that are trying to improve the license law might do the country a service by enacting a law whereby all profits above 5 per cent. arising from the conduct of the business, would go to the public treasury. We notice that to great effort is made anywhere to cut out the profit of the dealer, excepting in the the recent law relating to agencies in Maine.

THE WHITE MAN'S EGOTISM.

In speaking of the negro, in an attempt to explain the peculiar liquor laws in Louisiana, Col. Gleason, a vote register in Orleans parish says:

"When he is drunk he is prone to crime of the most awful kind. Not only will he commit those outrages which are often followed by lynchings, to the horror of our friends in the North, but he will commit other crimes. He will steal, but he will do that drunk or sober, and he will even kill without any motive other than the savage instinct which survives in him even after his long residence in America."

"Mind you, I do not say this from any dislike for the negro. I have been brought up among negroes and I have no prejudice against them. On the contrary, I like them and esteem them for many noble qualities which they have. But when they drink they sink at once to a level little above that of the brute, and become a menace to the community. We have no fear of the sober negro and no dislike for him, but we do fear the drunken negro, and we are determined, if it be possible in any way, to prevent him from getting drunk."

We call attention to this to show the characteristic egotism of the white man, in being egotistic, as is Col. Gleason, of the fact that liquor works the same upon white men as upon black. Whiskey makes demons of white men, as well as black, and a crime committed by a white drunkard is as reprehensible as one committed by a black drunkard.

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American Beauty—bright light crimson.
Celine Forestier—rich yellow.
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La France—very bright red.
Duke of Edinburgh—bright crimson.
John Hopper—fine bright rose.
Mabel Morrison—pure white.
Magna Charta—brilliant pink.
Mrs. John Laing—soft pink.
Paul Neyron—deep rose, large flower.
General Washington—red shaded crimson.
Grace Darling—luscious rose, beautiful flower.
Viktor Horta—brilliant crimson.
Baroness De Rothschild—light pink, very fine.
Captain Christy—delicate flesh, rose center.
Marshall P. Wilder—cherry rose.
Margaret Dickson—beautiful bright red.
Gloire de Margotten—bright red.
Anna de Dieblich—beautiful carmine.

Price of Above List
12 1-2 Each.

10 for \$1 when bought in lots of 10 or more.

Crimson Rambler—bright red, blossom freely, 15c each in any quantity.
Hydrangea—blossom this season, 15c each, any quantity.
Rhododendron—thoroughly hardy, 40c each any quantity.
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We pay express charges on \$1.00 worth or more. Would it not be a good idea to ship your orders and have goods sent to one address—free of charge if the order amounts to \$1.00 or over.

Order at Once.

Have your order booked as soon as possible—first come, first served.

Send money with order as explained above.

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NEW STORE Tuesday
of next Week.

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The Public are cordially invited to attend the Opening.

TOWN WARRANT.

To Fred F. Bean, Horatio N. Upton and Mortimer L. Thurston, selectmen of Bethel:

The undersigned ten or more legal voters in said town of Bethel, respectfully request you to call a meeting of the inhabitants of said town, qualified to vote in town affairs, to act on the following articles, to wit:

Art. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.
Art. 2. To see if the town will accept that part of the street, as laid out by the selectmen, leading from Summer street to Main street, which lies between said Summer street and High street, and appropriate money to pay land damages and build the same. Dated April 10, 1909.

F. J. Tyler and 22 others,
To E. C. Bowler, a citizen of the town of Bethel:

Pursuant to the foregoing petition you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the town of Bethel, qualified to vote in town affairs, to meet at Odeon Hall in said town, at two o'clock in the afternoon of May 1st, 1909 to act on the following articles, to wit:

Art. 1. To choose a moderator to preside at said meeting.
Art. 2. To see if the town will accept that part of the street as laid out by the selectmen leading from Summer street to Main street, which lies between said Summer street and High street and appropriate money to pay land damages and build the same.

Art. 3. To choose a Road Commissioner to serve in place of F. J. Russell, who was elected at the last annual meeting, and refuses to qualify and serve.
Dated April 13th, A. D., 1909.

F. P. BEAN,
H. N. UPTON,
M. L. THURSTON,
Selectmen of Bethel, Me.

WHEN HER BACK ACHES,

A Woman Finds All Her Energy and Amusement Slipping Away.

Many women know how the aches and pains that come when the kidneys fall make life a burden. Backache, hip pains, headaches, dizzy spells, distressing urinary troubles, all tell of sick kidneys and warn you of the stealthy approach of diabetes, dropsy and Bright's disease. Doan's Kidney Pills permanently cure all these disorders. Here is proof of it in a Rumford Falls woman's words:

Mrs. Emma Bouchard, living at 57 Canal St., Rumford Falls, Me., says: "For two years I suffered from kidney trouble. There was a dull aching in the small of my back, I also suffered from headaches and dizzy spells and was weak and nervous. The kidney secretions were unnatural and showed that my kidneys were disordered. I tried a number of remedies, but did not obtain satisfactory relief until I used Doan's Kidney Pills. I took the contents of three boxes and am glad to state that I was cured."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-McIlhenny Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

FROM THE SIGHTSEER'S NOTE BOOK.

The Sightseer overheard several traveling men telling incidents that they were either witnesses to or had heard told by parties closely connected. One or two of them were new to the Sightseer—that is no guarantee that they may not have been stock stories in this section for years—and he proposed to put them into print. Said one man, who was old enough to know better than to crack chestnuts, "I was in West Paris not long since, and among a crowd collected in a store, the subject of prosperity as relating to individuals, was under discussion, and the matter slumbered down to stating up the situation of various persons in the surrounding country. Some one remarked that a certain man had made money in his business. Another fellow one of these naturally comical men, who make things sound funny by the way they say it, drawled out:

"Now he never made a dollar there. He's just made a living, that's all; but he's saved two thirds of it."

Another man, who was reminded of a story—your know that's the way stories are inspired, "that reminds me" is a stock phrase, the same as "Once upon a time." He was once in Hockfield, and heard of a man who part of his wealth in the season. Alleged himself to be cured in. He took fifty dollars with him and when he came out in the

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A fine farm of 1200 acres, with a large house, barn, and other buildings, situated in a beautiful location. For more particulars, apply to the agent.

ANDOVER

The Happenings of the week
as Told by Our Correspondent.

ANDOVER.....
River driving business is being hastened by the recent rains and consequent high water.

Malcolm Gregg went Monday to Providence, R. I.

C. A. Rand has recently lost a valuable horse from blood poison.

Rev. T. H. Derrick gives his farewell sermon, Sunday, May 2nd.

George Lund went last week to Boston. He expects to work at Bemis the coming summer.

The Thursday whist was better attended than usual, enough for seven tables being present. The guests of the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Swent and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hewey. Mrs. Morrill and Walter Barnes won the prizes.

Daniel Amburg has returned to Mrs. C. A. Rand's. She has been visiting at Rumford.

Mrs. E. H. Cutting is ill again. She has been in much better health of late, but she is much worse.

Miss Mildred Dyer of Hanover, will teach the coming term in No. 4 district.

So far the maple orchards in this town have not been running as well as usual. Syrup makers are hoping for better weather for the business, ere the season closes.

Miss Evelyn Melcher of Rumford will teach the high school at the village this spring.

Walter Barnes went Monday to Boston, for the week.

What would you take?

Suppose you were required to live for a certain length of time on only one article of food. Which would you choose?

There is one food that stands without a rival for such a test. Quaker Oats is that one. It furnishes more strength with least wear and tear on the digestive organs than any other food. You'll feel well and strong at the end of the time. Try it. Don't stop eating other things, but eat more Quaker Oats and you'll notice the gain in strength.

The regular size package of Quaker Oats sells at 10c, the large family size packages cost 25c, and the family size package containing a piece of beautiful china for the table costs 30c. All grocers sell these.

Eat Quaker Oats daily for breakfast, it strengthens you for the day's work.

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BASE BALL

GOODS and TEN-

NIS SUPPLIES.

This season, 1909,

I shall maintain the same position, but with a LARGER and more COMPLETE STOCK.

Send for Catalog.

Mail Orders a specialty.

Chas. E. Howe,

Congress St., Rumford.

spring, he had increased the sum to \$50.

There were several other stories, among them one of a man at Sumner, who presented a girl from drowning, but as the trend of thought was towards money making stories, anything in the line of berries fell flat; and so one paid any attention to that story—perhaps they had all heard it many times, and then perhaps they didn't believe it.

The Sightseer lingered awhile, but faded away when the quality of the stories got down to the point where chuckles like this one evoked such mercurial—

Said another fellow, "That fellow sailing with me in a blood jacket of that Hebrew jockey that retired to his home, and makes money sweeping streets with—"

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THE EVOLUTION OF WOOLTEX STYLES

Do you ever wonder who settles the styles? Your tailor and dress-maker depend on the fashion plates.

The WOOLTEX makers do things differently.

In Paris they have Mme. Savarie. She spends all her time going to theatres, races, picture-shows, on the boulevards, in the fashionable hotels and cafes—wherever the best-dressed women may be seen.

She is constantly watching for new style ideas.

Every week she sends a voluminous fashion letter with sketches and samples to the WOOLTEX designers in this country.

Each season she sends a dozen or two of the handsomest models she can buy.

The WOOLTEX designers study these models and letters and sketches. One Gets a



hint here; another, there.

Then they set to work, in keen competition, each determined to outdo the others.

The WOOLTEX artists are called on to choose the materials and the color combinations.

All their models are submitted to the Style Committee. Perhaps only one out of a score of garments will be chosen for reproduction. But that one will embody the style and charm and best ideas of all.

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The WOOLTEX makers are spending \$50,000 a year on style alone. But as they make 200,000 garments each year, it means only an additional 25 cents on each.

Look at this cut. Doesn't it show distinction in every line? Come in and examine it closely. Try it on. You will be convinced that we have not exaggerated.

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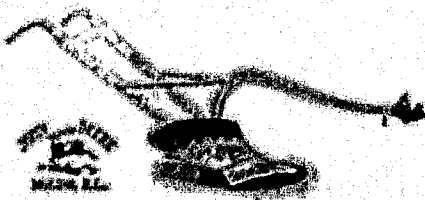
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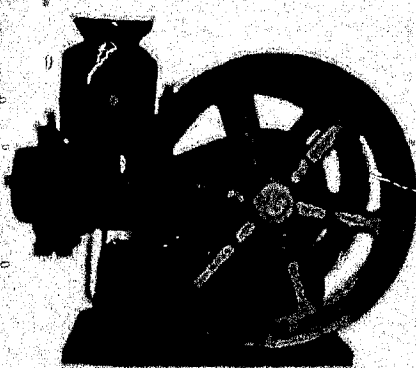
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Gasoline Engines.

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W. E. Boeserman, Bethel, Maine; Chas. E. Fernald, Ramford, Maine

HALF-HOUR INTERVIEWS.

Harry F. Downing, Norway, Me.

The many hundred patrons who sail around Lake Penesseewassee in steamer "Zanita" will undoubtedly remember the pleasant young captain, who is owner and general manager of this swiftly sailing craft.

The Citizen scribe searched out this busy young pilot and learned much about his past and present life; a service rendered the large colony of campers who daily rely upon his business ability for transportation and food supply.

Capt. Harry F. Downing, the son of Geo. F. Downing, Norway, is a quiet, unassuming young man of twenty, pleasant, clean and every inch a real hustler. The story of his progressive methods would be a fitting guide for many a youngster to follow. In spite of competition and adverse criticism, the staunch-hearted fellow grasped an opportunity which seemed to others an unfortunate move, and brought success from an uncertain investment.

When but a small lad the first sign of a business ability came to the surface. He saved up many pennies and invested in a jig saw converting cigar boxes into small articles of value. A tool chest came later, thus more substantial merchandise could be made and sold. Soon the boy worked his way up as a carpenter, doing considerable rough labor in a building crew. This did not fully satisfy the cravings of a mechanical mind, so Harry invested his savings in a respectable sized steam engine and boiler, with power sufficient to run light machinery. This was the real beginning and when seventeen years of age he appeared before an examining board in Portland and easily qualified as steamboat engineer for inland waters.

In 1907, our captain, with the help of his father, purchased a neat steam launch, named the "Zanita," placing this boat in Penesseewassee Lake. A partnership was formed under the name of Geo. F. Downing & Son, who advertised to carry cottagers, picnic parties and transport light freight. Of course business was a trifle dull at first, because people were slow to grasp advanced ideas, especially if promulgated by a boy. Gradually the excursionists realized advantages heretofore unknown, thus patronage soon commenced to drift toward this new launch "Zanita," as promptness, reliability and gentlemanly treatment were three cardinal points diligently practiced by the new company.

This summer better facilities will be at hand to accommodate a constantly increasing traffic. Only last week Capt. Downing purchased in Bath, a new gasoline launch, twenty-five feet keel, six feet beam, carrying a 5 H. P. Hubbard motor. This new addition is a staunch, roomy boat, licensed to carry twenty-five passengers. Five regular trips will be made each week day and six Sunday, after June 22. From the time the ice goes out until the above date, special runs will be made upon request. "Zanita" will be thoroughly overhauled and used only for special purposes, as picnics, freight transfer or to accommodate an overflow from the usual Sunday rush.

THE CAPITAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF CONCORD, N. H.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1908.
Real Estate, \$9,507.27
Mortgage Loans, 80,048.33
Collateral Loans, 19,300.00
Stocks and Bonds, 435,400.51
Cash in Office and Bank, 50,692.53
Agents' Balances, 56,219.73
Interest and Rents, 5,150.03
All other Assets, 2,905.10

Gross Assets, \$771,864.43
Deduct Items not admitted, 2,109.16
Admitted Assets, \$769,755.27

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1908.
Net Unpaid Losses, \$39,408.33
Unearned Premiums, 245,304.77
All other Liabilities, 22,505.00
Cash Capital, 200,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities, 138,600.20

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$769,755.27
O. M. RICHARDSON, Agent, Canton, Maine.
C. E. TOLMAN & CO., Agents, South Paris, Maine.
L. H. VILLEUX, Agent, Ramford, Maine.

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RYE.

C. H. Philbrick visited at his daughter's, Mrs. George Blanchard's, of Ramford, Friday and Saturday of last week. His granddaughter, Miss Blanche Blanchard, returned with him and spent Sunday at Rye.

Wm. Fitzpatrick, who runs the engine at Jones and Co.'s mill, visited at Canton over Sunday and attended the wedding of Arthur Eastman of Hallowell, last week placed on the

DIXFIELD ITEMS.

The Happenings of the Week as gathered by the Citizen Reporter.

The annual sale of the ladies of the Auxiliary Freeville Baptist Society will be held this Thursday p. m. and evening at the Masonic banquet hall. There will be on sale, useful and fancy articles, home made candies and food during the afternoon and evening. A supper, consisting of cold meats, salads, baked beans and pastry, will be served from 5:30 to 7 p. m. The ladies have been very diligent for several weeks, preparing for this sale, and are desirous of a good patronage.

The weekly prayer meeting of F. B. Society will be held this Friday evening at the home of J. P. Edmunds.

Next Sunday morning at the Universalist church, Rev. W. E. Gaskin will speak to the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs, it being the 90th anniversary of Odd Fellowship. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend this service. Members of the orders are requested to meet at their lodge room at 10 o'clock a. m. and march to the church.

At the last regular meeting of Welcome Rebekah Lodge, the degree was conferred upon three candidates. A large number were present. After enjoying an entertainment, consisting of readings and a piano duet, refreshments were served. Every Past Noble Grand was presented with a P. N. G. collar, by the lodge.

Saturday evening, Tascan Lodge of Odd Fellows, worked the third degree on four candidates; after which came the annual roll call, and banquet. A large number were present, and many speeches were enjoyed. Among those present, special mention should be made of Mr. George Gates, who is 78 years of age, and enjoyed the gathering equally with the rest. Brothers present from out of town were Wallace Hutchinson of Canton, and Andrew Lang of Hallowell. Letters were read from several absent members.

Wm. Andrews has accepted the position as night operator in the N. E. Telephone office.

Mrs. Hiram Cox, and son Lester, and daughter, Mrs. Alice Linch, were among the 75 guests at the fashionable Kenilworth Inn, Asheville, N. C., that was destroyed by fire, Wednesday, Apr. 14th, the loss of which was estimated to be \$250,000. Insurance \$75,000. The guests had barely time to don some scanty articles of clothing and make their escape before the burning of the building. Mrs. Cox was a former resident of Dixfield, and the three were very fortunate in saving the most of their clothing. Mr. Cox lost a very valuable gold watch and all of their trunks with contents were burned. The Cox's are now in Washington for a brief stay, before coming to Portland.

Mrs. E. P. Ames of Ramford was in town Friday, a guest of her sister, Mrs. D. A. Gates.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Small returned Friday from a visit of a few days with relatives and friends at Locke Mills and Bryant's Pond.

Mrs. Elmer Towle Robertson and baby came Saturday, from Cambridge, Mass., and will spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Towle.

Mrs. F. I. Sturtevant of Hebron was a recent guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Sturtevant.

Rev. J. B. Coy of Lewiston, Asst. State Agent, occupied the pulpit at F. B. church Sunday p. m. The topic of his discourse was from the words found in St. Matthew, 5th chapter, 8 verse, "Blessed are the pure in heart; for they shall see God." Mr. Coy was also present at the evening service.

The topic of Rev. W. E. Gaskin's discourse at the Universalist church Sunday evening was "Christ's Mission and Our Mission." This was the beginning of a series of evening services, the topics of which will be from the Acts of the Apostles, the services to continue through May.

The Bible Study will be held this Friday evening at the home of Mr. J. D. Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaskin were in Boston last week, Mrs. Gaskin remaining for a few days with her son and family.

Miss Sarah Dolloff was the guest of her niece, Mrs. David Atkins, the first of the week.

Home in Canton for a few days.

Master Frank Philbrick, son of C. P. Philbrick, had the misfortune to break his leg while jumping from the top of a tree to the barn door, Sunday afternoon.

Floyd Stubbs has been on a visit to Canton and Livermore Falls for the past week.

The roads from Rye to Andover are in bad shape, as it is hardly safe to pass over them with a team.

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I was at times as helpless as a child and could not even dress myself. Since taking Uric-o, I feel as active in my limbs as ever, I am again an able bodied man.

Anyone suffering with this terrible disease, should at once procure a bottle of this remedy.

Uric-o is sold by W. E. Boeserman at 75c and \$1.00 a bottle. You can obtain a liberal sample by writing to the Smith Drug Co., 221 Smith Bldg., Syracuse, N. Y.

UNITED STATES FIDELITY & GUARANTEE CO., BALTIMORE, MARYLAND.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1908.
Real Estate, \$481,581.84
Mortgage Loans, 9,200.00
Collateral Loans, 140,104.15
Stocks and Bonds, 2,677,863.83
Cash in Office and Bank, 622,854.92
Agents' Balances, 395,490.54
Interest and Rents, 34,908.26
All other Assets, 78,624.78

Gross Assets, \$4,445,729.62
Deduct Items not admitted, 136,068.42
Admitted Assets, \$4,309,661.20

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1908.
Net Unpaid Losses, \$704,057.29
Unearned Premiums, 1,452,592.54
All other Liabilities, 150,919.09
Cash Capital, 1,709,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities, 285,987.93

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$4,309,661.20
H. L. ELLIOTT, Agent, Ramford Falls, Me.

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NEW BRUNSWICK FIRE INS. CO., New Brunswick, N. J.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1908.
Real estate, \$110,597.93
Mortgage Loans, 99,483.00
Stocks and Bonds, 275,837.86
Cash in Office and Bank, 23,209.44
Agents' Balances, 80,863.56
Interest and Rents, 2,237.74
All other Assets, 21,544.62

Gross Assets, \$616,391.10
Deduct Items not admitted, 6,311.12
Admitted Assets, \$610,080.98

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1908.
Net Unpaid Losses, \$34,483.03
Unearned Premiums, 294,111.41
All other Liabilities, 1,546.16
Cash Capital, 200,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities, \$80,789.48

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$610,080.98
H. L. ELLIOTT, Agent, Ramford Falls, Me.

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ST. PAUL FIRE & MARINE INS. CO., St. Paul, Minn.

ASSETS DEC. 31, 1908.
Real Estate, \$261,630.48
Mortgage Loans, 601,922.00
Stocks and Bonds, 3,732,323.34
Cash in Office and Bank, 298,769.81
Agents' Balances, 444,019.76
Bills Receivable, 18,238.18
Interest and Rents, 29,019.56
All other Assets, 3,121.26

Gross Assets, \$6,107,610.70
Deduct Items not admitted, 27,335.19
Admitted Assets, \$6,080,275.51

LIABILITIES DEC. 31, 1908.
Net Unpaid Losses, \$300,315.12
Unearned Premiums, 3,811,109.82
All other Liabilities, 22,581.85
Cash Capital, 200,000.00
Surplus over all Liabilities, 1,227,888.71

Total Liabilities and Surplus, \$6,080,275.51
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RUMFORD.

Harry Mark was in Lewiston, Monday.

Mr. Arthur Gauthier was in Portland over Sunday.

Fred O. Walker was up to the lake Sunday, returning Monday morning.

Patriot's Day was celebrated here by any public service or celebration.

J. G. Goodrow has been appointed as regular patrolman on the Falls hill road.

Napoleon Landry is employed in the office of the Rumford Steam Laundry on Canal street.

Geo. Gammann, formerly clerk in E. O. Walker's store, has been heard from recently in St. Louis.

Earl Lane was gladly greeted by friends, last Sunday and Monday. He returned to his work, Tuesday.

Walter Hanson has just put up a fine evening over P. H. White & Co.'s meat market, on Congress street.

Capt. H. M. Hawley is confined to the house by illness. He is gaining and will probably be out this week.

H. H. Taylor of the H. M. Hawley Co., has taken lodgings in the village, so as to be near their place of business.

Rev. Harry H. Ryder is in attendance at the Methodist conference this week. Mrs. Ryder is spending the week in Wilton.

G. W. Pratt made an assignment last Saturday to J. W. Blanchard. His assets were \$200, and liabilities \$4,000. The business has been sold to H. H. Howe.

Miss Bessie Allen read a paper before the Universalist church Sunday night on the subject "The Nobility of Character." Miss Bessie Douglas will read the evening next Monday evening.

Merrill Marks calls special attention to the fact that the engagement is printed again in the Universalist in this case. This is at the request of some one of those gentlemen, who were unable to get in on account of bad going.

Miss Caroline Hennessey has returned to her position in the office of Dr. Sime and Holburn, after a few days' vacation, in which she visited West Virginia. Miss McQuinn, who accompanied her, returned to Manchester where she went to Nashua, N. H. to visit her sister.

Mr. P. Hall, will appear this evening at the Chas. Ripley's home on the play entitled "The American Boy." The company is a favorite to the local audience. His last appearance on the stage here was in "A Day and a Night." The entertainment tonight promises to be the equal of any in which Mr. Hall has previously taken part.

Estimate, Mitchell & Brown Co. of Portland, proprietors of one of Maine's largest, most up-to-date and most complete departments stores, announce their annual sale of new clothes etc. on April 22nd. Rumford people will not be obliged to go to Portland on that date, however, in order to participate in the sale. On the contrary, all orders sent by mail will be looked for delivery on that date. Full explanation is made in their advertisement on page 6.

Drug Store Class

In our selection of the most ordinary Drug Store goods, as well as in our selection of rare drugs, every effort is made for Class, Quality and Neatness.

How well we have always succeeded is evidenced by our growing and satisfied trade.

Chas. E. Fernald,
Rumford, Me.

MEXICO AND RIDLONVILLE.

The Week's News as Gathered by our Special Correspondent

Rev. J. A. Barry has recently been in Boston.

The Searchlight Club met last Friday with Mrs. Gaylord Douglas.

C. H. Eaton of Mexico has qualified as coroner for this county.

Virgil Abbott has been confined to the house by illness for several days.

An infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Latham, died, Sunday April 11.

Mrs. Harold L. Hanson, who has been visiting in Bath has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett R. Joscelyn are in the Bermudas for an indefinite period.

Mrs. Jane McQuinn, who has been in New York for a week or more, has returned home.

The Turnell Hall has been let to Mrs. Monahan, who will conduct a dining room there.

Freemont Colledge, has returned to his position in Stanley Hise's store, after a severe illness of several weeks.

Miss Ella Burditt has a position with a Boston firm. She will spend a brief vacation at home, before beginning work there.

The Baptist Church Aid society recently met with Mrs. Geo. D. Baber, and made plans for a sale for the benefit of the church.

No owner has appeared to claim the liquor that Chief of Police Gilpatrick seized in a room in the Shamrock building on Canal street.

Jack Woods has so far recovered from the effects of the accident, in which he sprained an ankle, that he is attending to business.

A public supper will be given at the Universalist vestry, Thursday night, April 22nd. An orchestra will furnish music during the repast.

Mrs. Wooster, who has been spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. A. Hall, has gone to Portland, where she will stay for the summer.

Barth in cited the Promoters' concert and ball that will occur May 4th in the opera house. It is planned to make it the star event of the season in the social category.

May 5 and 6, the great musical show by local talent for the benefit of the Rumford band, will be given in the opera house. It promises to be one of the last entertainments of the season.

There will be no morning services at the Methodist church next Sunday. The pastor will be attending conference during the week. The afternoon service at the Virginia chapel will also be omitted.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Olfert are leaving at Mr. P. O. Walker's house. Mrs. Olfert has just come to Rumford from Portland to join her husband, who is employed at the Red Cross Pharmacy.

M. M. Henry & Co. have hired the store at the corner of Canal and Exchange streets, where James Gallagher has been located for the past year. The place is being renovated and nicely fitted for their business.

M. M. Westbury was presented with a new silver service by the employees of the Commercial Paper Bag Co. Wednesday night, April 14. The occasion being Mr. Westbury's retiring from the service of the company.

The horse race for Ward and Veb's in "The Promoters" at Empire State, New York, Wednesday, April 22, will be \$100, instead of \$150 as advertised on the program. The train will leave Rumford at 4:30, going via Glenburn.

F. A. Farnish is on a business trip to Norway, Paris and Berlin in the interests of the Edison Photographic and White Sewing Machine. He has recently returned from a far lying trip up country.

The Citizen has received an advance copy containing certain foot prints (we are assured that no police make them) that are appearing about town. Our tip is to the effect that it will be well worth while to follow those foot prints.

While Mrs. W. J. Gray was in Washington, she was presented with a unique home made banner. It is just a piece of chemically treated paper. It changes color in various ways according to the weather. It is quite a novel sight to see it change from blue to red, to red to orange and so on.

The funeral of John Todd, Jr., the twelve year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Todd, of Whitman street, was held Friday morning at the home, Rev. J. O. Fisher officiating. The child had not been well for a long time and died Tuesday morning, after a short illness.

Victor Binford of Bliss College is spending a few days' vacation at his home, accompanied by Harold McNeill, who was his guest over Sunday.

Bonnie V. Tucker has resigned his position at the Oxford mill and left Monday for East Millinocket, where he has a position.

It was announced in last week's issue that Rev. C. L. Parker had left his pastorate at Collingwood, Ohio, to locate in Arizona, but the report was misinformed. The new pastorate is Joplin, Missouri.

Ed. Fuller is moving his family from the Johnson house into the McNeal house on Roxbury Ave.

The Ladies' Aid Society met Tuesday of this week at the home of Mrs. A. E. Davis on Main street. Plans for the annual May breakfast were discussed and committees chosen.

The K. O. K. A. met Monday evening in the vestry of the church.

Joyce Dodd left last week for Grand Mere, Canada, to join his father, who is working there, where he will enter a convent to continue his education. The rest of the family will go later.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle of the Baptist church was entertained this week by Mrs. Alonzo Richards at her home on Granite St.

The base ball nine of the Mexico high school gave a social in the assembly room of the high school last Friday evening for the benefit of the team. The evening was pleasantly spent with games, for which Mr. Wyman, violinist; Linwood Kelley, cornetist; and Robert Wyman, pianist, furnished the music. Home made candies were sold, and quite a little sum was made to add to the sum the boys have already collected, given to them by citizens interested in the school team, for their new uniforms, which they have already ordered.

Mrs. Shirley Brown, who is quite ill of pneumonia, is more comfortable. Mrs. George Childs is caring for her.

A new cement walk is being put in at the Kimball school, the work being done by J. H. Kerr. The pupils of the school are paying half of the expense, and the town the other half.

The flower committee of the C. R. society of the Congregational church will hold a social in the vestry of the church, on Friday evening of this week. An admission of ten cents will be charged and home made candies will be on sale. The proceeds are to be used to purchase flowers for sick people and stationery, by the flower committee.

On Thursday morning at the home on Poplar Hill, was held the funeral of Edwin Barrett, an aged resident of the town. Mr. Barrett would have been ninety-one years old on the 15th of July. For the past six years he has been confined to his bed, unable to care for himself in any way, and has been faithfully attended by a daughter, Miss Louisa, and a son, Ed. Mr. Barrett was taken worse Monday morning and before night passed away. The funeral was held Thursday morning, Rev. J. O. Fisher officiating. The body was entombed in the cemetery.

Miss Kadah Bailey, who went to the Lewiston hospital, last week, was not operated upon for appendicitis. She was given treatment and returned home last Saturday, much improved in health.

One of the most thoroughly prepared Bible class studies in Rumford and probably in the State, is that given the Men's class by Gaylord Douglas at the Methodist church, Sunday. Mr. Douglas prepares lessons that require about forty-five minutes to go through with. They are not disconnected, but rather explanations of the historical and biographical connections of the lesson, and seldom take on a theological color, although Mr. Douglas is an ardent believer in Orthodoxy.

The W. R. C. of Rumford have accepted an invitation by Rev. Harry H. Ryder of the Methodist church to attend Memorial services at that church, Memorial Sunday. The Saturday before, they will attend the Memorial exercises in Mexico. At the Monday night meeting, an entertainment program was carried out under the direction of Mrs. Anne Gifford, who has just completed a three month's chairmanship of the entertainment committee. A special meeting of the Corps will be held next Monday night.

It is quite remarkable that picture taking can be so easily made a home enterprise of amusement. Kodaks that can be folded and carried in a coat pocket and yet possess nearly all the powers, as well as quality of a regular

Rumford until later, when he will be taken to Carthage. Besides the son and daughter, with whom he lived, he had one son at Sumner, and two in Massachusetts.

A sister of John Todd of Whitman St., came from Mechanicsville, N. Y., last week to visit for a few weeks.

Mrs. Dennis Davenport, who has been very ill of the grip, is not as well at this writing.

Bert Howard of the Back Kingdom, is very ill.

Mr. Charles Morrison has moved into the house on Front St., vacated by Frank Bennett.

Mrs. Wm. Butters, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Edward Burke, returned Saturday to her home in Mechanicsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Danville Knox spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Knox of Whitman St.

The little two year old son of Mrs. Ed. Jenkins of Weld, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dgn. Swift, is ill of pneumonia. His father, who is working in Portland, came up Saturday to see him.

Misses Adelaide and Florence Whitman spent two nights last week with Mrs. Elizabeth Whitman.

Mrs. Charles Neff is very ill of the grip and an attack of pleurisy.

Miss Marguerite Burns is working for Mrs. George Olsson.

The three year old son of Roland Merrill, who lives on the Mexico Flats, is quite ill of the scarlet fever.

The meeting of the Sunshine Club with Miss Inez McLeod which has been postponed several times, will be held Saturday afternoon of this week.

Mrs. Wm. Davis went to Livermore Falls, Saturday to join her husband, who is transacting business there.

Miss Marian Thompson spent Saturday in Dixfield.

Miss Lena McCollister went to Canton, Saturday.

Arthur Apple is very ill of pneumonia.

Mrs. A. B. Parsons spent Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. T. F. Kendall of Rumford.

Ray Williams, who has been boarding at Chas. Ripley's, is moving his goods into the Shaw house on Granite St., and expects his wife to return from her home in Charlestown, P. R., where she has been for the winter, about May 1st.

The Laurel Club was entertained last Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Arthur Johnson at her home on Roxbury Ave. The entertainment was a "Presidential Party" and Mrs. E. H. Stevens acted to be the most efficient, winning the first prize, and Mrs. Frank Herrick, the consolation prize. The hostess served a delicious repast of fancy crackers, fruit, confectionery and cream. The next meeting will be held this week Thursday, with Mrs. T. M. Stevens.

Born to the wife of Mr. J. E. Henry, of Howard St., Sunday evening, April 18th, a son.

Miss Bertha Thomas, who is teaching in Peru, was the guest of her sister, Miss Morris, at the Packard block, over Sunday.

John Harlow is suffering of a cold which made him so very hoarse that he could scarcely sing the solo which he had in the cantata, Sunday morning, but instead of giving up as most people would have done, he did what he could.

photographer's camera. The Citizen was shown a line of the very latest Kodaks and cameras at Bowers and Vallee's store recently, and feels to congratulate the firm upon the success they are having in introducing the goods. Mr. Bowers gives free instruction to amateurs, who purchase cameras of him.

NORTH BUCKFIELD.

Fred Harlow has returned from New York, where he has been employed part of the winter, by John Lewis Childs.

Merle Harwood has returned to his school in New Hampshire.

Howard Churchill has left for Boston, to be employed by the government.

A. W. Spaulding has returned from his visit in Massachusetts.

Will Roberts, an old resident has been calling in this vicinity lately.

Mrs. Mary Capen has been spending a few days at Stephen Spaulding's. There will be a mask ball at the Orange Hall, April 23.

Mrs. Lucy Haverd, a former resident of this place, was brought here for burial, Saturday.

Wilbur Warren, who is at work in Hartford, spent a few days with his mother, Mrs. H. J. Warren, recently.

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We publish this week a unique advertisement by the well known and reliable firm of J. E. Hall Co. of Rumford.

The company offers a handsome prize for the best advertisement that may be composed and sent to them. We have seen the prize offered and assure our readers that it is as represented, and worth having.

We wish to add that the art of advertisement writing is today reckoned among the high class professions, and both men and women are commanding good positions and salaries because of their talents in that line. This is an opportunity for the readers of this paper to try their hand at the work and possibly demonstrate their ability to work worthy of recognition in a larger field.

MAY TERM OF COURT AT RUMFORD.

The May term of court will convene at Rumford the second Tuesday in the month, Judge Lavelle A. Emery at Ellsworth will preside.

Among the cases of interest to be tried will be that of Elliott vs. McCarthy in an action to recover for alleged slander. The case arises out of the statements made by the defendant on the stump in the last State campaign.

In accordance with the custom of

published, when the setting of the court was appointed for Rumford, a reception will be given Judge Emery, the evening of the 11th in the Cheney Opera House.

CONGRESSMAN SWASEY AT HOME.

Congressman John F. Swasey was in Rumford Monday. He was warmly greeted by his friends and constituents. Mr. Swasey will remain at home until the Senate acts on the tariff bill. He will then return to Washington and stay until the final touches have been put upon the bill.

NORTH RUMFORD.

April 15th, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Duran were made happy by the advent of a daughter, Frances Gertrude.

The river is free from ice and has receded from the high water of last week.

The Nickel Company is adding men to its force and getting ready for spring business.

The roads are in bad condition for either sleighs or wagons, although sleighs have been in the lead for the past week. The stage will take wheels this week.

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Order seats before April 23rd at Fernald's Drug Store.

YOUNG CHARLIE TAFT.

Washington.—Charlie Taft is rapidly coming into his own. As the American people come to have, at first hand and through the newspapers, a closer acquaintance with the president-elect's youngest son there is bound to be an increasing appreciation of and admiration for one of the most likable and most manly boys that ever shone in the reflected glory of a famous father. It is not too much to predict that Master Charles Phelps Taft—named for his uncle, who resides in Cincinnati—will become, during his father's service as chief magistrate, the most popular boy that ever resided at the White House. And this prophecy can be made with due realization of the hold on the public gained, in turn, by the storied "Tad" Lincoln, the Gasfield boys and, latterly, the very mischievous young Roosevelts.

The great dominant trait that distinguishes Charles Taft is that he is absolutely unspoiled. It would seem as though he is virtually unspoiled. The wonder of all this can only be realized when you stop to think what his life has been during the 11 1/2 years of his existence. His father has been in public life ever since young Charles was old enough to take notice of things about him. The boy spent years in the official atmosphere of the Philippines, traveled around the world with his father, fished all the while and has been made much of in Washington, Cincinnati, Hot Springs and Augusta during the interval between Taft's nomination for the presidency and his inauguration.

It is more than possible that something of Charles Taft's sweetness is due to that free rein within reasonable limits, which the new president and Mrs. Taft have always allowed for the development of the individuality of each of their children. In her close personal attention to her sons and the upbringing of her children, Mrs. Taft comes pretty near being a model housewife, but for all that, she has ever encouraged the closest supervision of the children's education and other main essentials of their training. She has not made the mistake of hedging them about with what might perhaps be called superstitious precautions. The result of the commendable Taft parental policy is shown in the healthful self-reliance of which young Charles is possessed.

As may be surmised from the foregoing, Charles Taft has young America's profound interest in outdoor sports. Indeed, he goes in hard for all

sorts of outdoor athletics. He started when he was in the Philippines by becoming expert at a number of the native games. When he accompanied his father on the latter's trip around the world he won a good share of the prizes in the athletic contests on the ocean steamer. When the Spanish game of diabolo became a fad in this country (Charles was an early convert), and this was succeeded by roller skating, which is yet in high favor, Charlie now points with pride to the fact that he is a member of the football team and also the baseball team. For boys of his age, at his uncle's private school in Connecticut, where he is now a pupil, and the president recently gave his youngest son a course of lessons in golf, declaring that the time to learn this game was in youth. There is no pose about Charlie Taft, but no person could be long in the company of the boy and not realize the broadening influence of foreign travel of which he has had as bountiful a portion. This boy of less than 12 years has been twice around the world, once via Suez and the other time by way of Siberia, and on both journeys he had opportunities for seeing places and meeting distinguished people not touchable to any other juvenile in his generation.

For all that Charlie Taft is such a devotee of athletics he is almost equally fond of reading—thus presenting an unusual combination of tastes. It is pretty near an axiom that if you see Charles Taft, he has a book in his hand. History and the usual favorite tales of boyish adventure have the preference in his literary menu.

Charles will celebrate his twelfth birthday anniversary September 20 next.

How's This?

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THE DAIRY

AVERAGE FARM DAIRY.

The Amount of Feed Which Will Be Required.

What shall the average farmer in the northwest do, in Minnesota, for example, with an average herd of cows in both number and quality, relative to feed supplies? Assuming that this average farmer has only a half dozen milk cows, shall he build a silo and grow silage corn or provide other roughage? This question was a feature at last winter's meeting of the Minnesota State Dairymen's association. It was handled by A. D. Wilson, who rather leaned toward improving the farm with clover, etc., rather than growing silage corn. His remarks were applicable solely to the small herd of cows rather than the well established dairy herd. Mr. Wilson placed the emphasis in handling the ordinary dairy herd on the farm as a whole, instead of from the milk cows simply; otherwise there may be disappointment in the final outcome at the end of the year. He believes there is very little net profit in the average crop of wheat alone, and felt much the same way about the average dairy herd made up, perhaps, of cows of indifferent quality.

"The farmers of Minnesota must get down to the idea of net profit on the farm as a whole," said Mr. Wilson. "Look out for real business management just as surely as the city merchant does in considering his investments. We must grow grass crops and clover in order to keep up the productivity of the soil." On a farm of 100 acres, 40 acres of grass and clover should be grown each year. He believes that farmers can more profitably use such good hay as we grow, or can wisely use roughage, such as fodder corn, roots, millfeed, etc. Depend largely upon hay and a few roots, the latter for succulence, rather than silage corn. For the average Minnesota farm, with a few cows, this question of silage means a considerable tax in the way of a structure, etc. Mr. Wilson believes enough roots can be grown on one-half to one acre to adequately supplement the hay. It is more expensive to supply silage, he says, for the small herd of cattle than for the large herd, where, of course, conditions may materially differ. In the large dairy herd the farmer can wisely put up more silage and use more of it the larger the number of cows kept, also a larger amount of manure, and thus avoid the growing of so much clover, as is necessary on the average farm with a few cows. He recommended as root crops mangels, rutabagas and stock carrots.

STARTING A DAIRY.

As to the Handling and Breeding of Pure Bred Stock.

The selection of the young females to maintain and increase the herd requires careful consideration on the part of the breeder. If the herd is a pure bred one, the sire being the same strain, and very much like the females, the offspring will be fairly uniform and the calves from the best producers can be selected unless they show some physical weakness or other reason for not being taken into the herd. When the herd is to be composed of grade animals the sire should be pure-bred, and if possible the selection of the females to maintain the herd should be tested, and the selection made of their individual merits. When it is necessary to select the females before they can be tested they should be from dams that respond the quickest to the changed environment of the herd.

If a number of cows are placed in better environment the calves should be selected from the cows that show the greatest increase because of the better conditions. The bull will be likely to be most prepotent over the females which respond the most readily to changed environment. The most improvement can be expected in the first generation, as there are likely to be many reversions in the second generation, some being much better than their dams and some much poorer. If by this time the offspring of the best producing females can be selected for the herd, as a line of breeding will have been established. If the bull produces offspring that are uniform, strong and vigorous, he can be safely bred to his own daughters, as inbreeding is the greatest factor in preventing reversions, but if another bull must be secured he should be related to the old one and resemble him as much as possible.

However, no matter what attention is paid to the breeding of a herd it is all lost unless the feeding and care of the herd is what they should be. No amount of breeding can take the place of careful and regular feeding, pure water and sanitary stables. The results of careful breeding and selection are soon lost by the farmer who does not give his stock the care that has related to its high standard.

Use of Restes. No industry, agricultural particularly, can develop and prosper except in proportion to the increasing intelligence of those engaged in it. No industry will develop only as a higher degree of efficiency is attained in selecting and breeding the cow and in feeding and taking care of her.

CANTON. HAPPENINGS.

As Observed and Told by the Citizen Reporter.

The Ladies' Aid of the United Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Eltene Goding on May 5th. The last meeting was held with Rev. and Mrs. Bernard Christopher.

Mrs. Laura Bryant of Rumford, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Fletcher.

D. E. Patterson is visiting his people in Kingston, Nova Scotia, his father being very ill. Geo. Bennett is assisting in the butter factory, during his absence.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mahoney of Livermore Falls spent Sunday with her father, Wm. Mitchell and family.

Mrs. Alice Oliver has a class of music pupils in Sumner.

Mrs. W. W. Blanchard submitted to a slight operation at the U. M. G. hospital, Lewiston, Thursday, and returned home the first of the week.

Hattie Russell of East Sumner, has been the guest of Norma Heald.

Alexander Bryant and wife who have been spending the winter in Miami, Fla., have returned home.

Alice A. Lucas of Rumford, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lucas, also her sister, Mrs. A. L. Newman of Auburn.

Geo. Maxwell has returned to his home in Lynn, Mass.

Miss Lucy Newman has been keeping house for her mother, Mrs. W. W. Blanchard, during her stay at the hospital.

Hon. and Mrs. John P. Swasey and daughter Minnie, returned from Washington, D. C., Thursday.

Mrs. Edna Harmon of Rockland, Mass., has been visiting at Mrs. O. D. Hodge's.

At a meeting of the citizens of Canton, held at Odd Fellows Hall, Wednesday evening, a board of trade was organized and the following officers elected: Pres., Nathan Reynolds; 1st Vice Pres., Dr. F. W. Morley; 2nd Vice Pres., G. L. Wadlin; Secretary, O. M. Richardson; Treasurer, F. E. Dicknell; Directors, B. E. Patterson, A. B. Ellis, Leola Russell of Augusta, visited over Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Russell.

E. E. Westgate and family will occupy the room vacated by E. E. Whittemore.

Miss Lillie Rose, who was operated on at the hospital for appendicitis, Friday, is comfortable.

Miss Alice Oliver gave a party Wednesday evening at her home to the members of her Sabbath School class. The evening was very happily passed playing games etc. Delicious refreshments of ice cream, cake and fancy crackers were served during the evening.

Alton Tyler has moved to his farm, recently purchased of E. E. Caldwell. M. Louise Staples was in town over Sunday.

Clementine Crockett, who is employed in Portland, has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Thomas.

D. A. Fletcher visited at Rumford, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Leslie Roberts has returned from a visit in Massachusetts.

Mrs. Lucy Nason of Livermore Falls, was the guest of Mrs. T. F. Ojham, Friday.

Mrs. C. W. Thompson has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Lena Barry of Hartford.

Kathleen Douglas has been visiting her parents in Rumford.

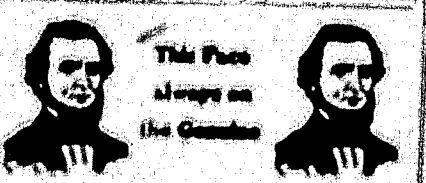
Mr. and Mrs. Harve of Rockland, N. H., are visiting the brother, Oscar Harve and family.

J. N. Foye is visiting in North Abington, Mass.

W. H. Gilbert was in Lewiston, Saturday.

Robert Leonard of New York arrived at the Revere House, Saturday.

Mrs. Bernard Christopher and daughter Dorothy, are visiting in Lewiston and Mecklenburg Falls.



An unhealthy stomach is generally what makes many of you feel so wretched. The various aches of your body can be done away with by a little care daily given to your stomach.

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has put stomachs in shape for 57 years. A fifty-cent bottle will tone up yours. If it doesn't, the druggist will refund your money.

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A woman who is sick and suffering, and won't at least try a medicine which has the record of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, is to blame for her own wretched condition.

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Erie, Pa.—"I suffered for five years from female troubles, and at last was almost helpless. I tried three doctors but they did me no good. My sister advised me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it has made me well and strong. I hope all suffering women will just give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial, for it is worth its weight in gold."—Mrs. J. P. Eadlich, R. F. D. 7, Erie, Pa.

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Easter services were held at the United Baptist church, Easter Sunday, special music being furnished for the occasion.

The many friends of Miss Mabel J. Goding will be pleased to know that she is able to be out again.

Herman Childs was at Plymouth, Mass., last week, returning home, Saturday.

Ida M. Gilbert has been visiting at her home in town.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Towle have been visiting relatives at North Turner.

B. F. Loden, who was operated on at the U. M. G. hospital last week, is improving slowly.

Mrs. James Davis has been visiting her people at Meadowview.

Ernest Dillingham caught the first fish of the season at the outlet, a pickerel measuring 21 inches in length.

Florence Childs has gone to Plymouth, Mass., as bookkeeper for her uncle.

Winfield Rose visited his sister, Lillie Rose at the hospital, Lewiston, Saturday.

A special meeting of John A. Hodge Relief Corps, instead of Post, as prior meeting last week, will be held April 25th.

Alexander Russell of Brockton, Mass., is spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Russell.

Mrs. Elmer E. Cushman has been visiting at Livermore Falls for several days.

ALCOHOL OR COCAINE.

It is stated that the men of today are drinking less alcoholic liquors than in years past, and that a study recently made attributes this to the demands of the age for the greatest intellectual and moral force in the habitual user of narcotics renders him unfit for these positions; is a detriment in occupations where alert and developed intelligence and sustained concentration of mind is required. Thinking houses, large corporations and particularly railroads demand, all of them, temperance, many total abstinence, as well as other proper habits. To insure this system of espionage is practiced by three houses and institutions, with daily reports to those responsible for the grings, settings and general conduct of these employees.

General position is one of trust. Not only bank tellers and cashiers, but credit men are closely watched, and reports made to the directors. For years such men have had to be handled, and to this the necessity of their being watched by hired detectives and the situation of lack of trust seems more surprising in most of us. With a man in as honest today, we think as in the past. Occasionally, one gets a bad or good light of character by

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A magnificent summer trip is enjoyed by taking this "fish water" can voyage" from Sault Ste. Marie, to Fort Williams, Ontario, through these great inland seas. This year saw steamers gallop like a fleet, and the fastest fastest vessel on the Great Lakes will fly the house flag of this popular company. The steamers run in connection with the Grand Trunk Railway System and all particulars, rates and descriptive literature, etc., can be had by the asking by applying to J. G. H. L. N. P. A. U. T. R. Montreal.

HEART THRILLING GEMS.

DESTINED TO PROVOKE A SMILE, COAX A TEAR, CAUSE A TUG AT THE HEART STRINGS, CAST A GLEAM OF LIGHT INTO THE DARKEST CORNERS AND BRING A THRILL OF JOY INTO EVERY LIFE WHICH THEY TOUCH.

KEEP TRYING.

If boys should get discouraged,
At home or at work,
And say, "There's no use trying,"
And all hard tasks should shrink,
And keep on shivering, shivering,
Till the day becomes a man,
I wonder what the world would do
To carry out its plan?

The coward in the comfort
Gives up at first defeat;
If once repulsed, his courage
Like shattered glass is left;
The brave heart wins the battle,
Because, through thick and thin,
He'll not give up as conquered,
He fights, and fights to win.

So, boys, don't get discouraged
Because at first you fail;
If you keep on trying,
At last you will prevail,
He conquers against failure,
Try and try again;
The boys who keep on trying,
Have made the world's best men.

—American Youth.
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"You gave me the way a pleasant
smile,
And taught me more about it,
It cheered a life that was sad and the
while,
That might have been wrecked with-
out it.
And so, for the smile and the fragrance
you
You will win reward, sometime—some-
where."

ART AND HEART.

By Elsie Whelan Wilson.
Though earth may bow to art, and
I am the one true lover,
It is not art, but heart, that wins the
wide world over.

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ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

Children are much more likely to be made nervous than to be born nervous.

There is no better equipment for the little one who must win his way in the world than perfect health.

A congenial atmosphere in which to unfold his own particular kind of bloom is what the child's awakening nature craves.

To be successful in exacting obedience, there must be no threats, nor must anything be offered the child in the way of a bribe.

The mother who holds high the standards of the home is she whose example and influence shape the tender minds of her little ones for good or evil.

One of the first duties to her child is to spare no effort in her endeavors to provide him with a physique fitted to be the support and companion of his mind.

One of the secrets of gaining prompt obedience from children is to make few matters points of contention. To overlook is what the most successful mother knows how to do.

The child feels his own position keenly when he loses self-control. To aggravate his misery by blows or commands, when he is not in a physical condition to understand them, seldom brings good results.

The green shoots appearing above the brown earth of nursery tea and gingerbread pinpoints, are very tender, and as they grow, the mother must smile on them, for if she turns away they will most surely lean out toward sun and perhaps never bloom in the home garden at all.

That God's will has made woman the mother of the human race, and that to be a true mother, a "good mother," with all that that dear old-fashioned word means, is to perform in the world the noblest and for which she was destined in paradise.

IN MORALIZING MOOD.

Brooding over failure blurs the brain to inaction and lessens the chance of betterment.

It is not reasonable to insist that all people should share alike in the material things of life.

The disposition to coddle a sense of injustice is one of the most unfortunate heritages of mankind.

It is hardly reasonable to expect that a feeling of gladness should exist in the neighborhood of an empty pocket.

There is nothing more conducive to independence of thought than a healthy balance to one's credit in the savings bank.

Satisfaction and contentment are not always purchasable; but they are not far distant when ample means are unobtainably and wisely used.

When the victim of untoward circumstances gives time to mull over his misfortune he will find that they thrive and multiply like mites in mellow cheese.

Much more time is wasted in assailing the reputation of successful men than would be required for the erection of memorials to perpetuate the memory of their good deeds.—Frank H. Welch, in The Sunday Magazine.

QUIET KNOCKS.

The hardest obstacle a man has to overcome is frequently himself.

A woman may be as young as she feels, but she doesn't always look the part.

The man who forgets what he ought to know seldom knows what he ought to forget.

There isn't anything much more uncomfortable than a professional hero who has lost his job.

The man who is always borrowing money is almost as great a nuisance as the one who has no money to lend.

An automobile tour demonstrates that when you stop at a country inn you must put up with the inn conventionalities.

The pen may be mightier than the sword, but the sword swallows generally makes more money than the pen.

When Dame Fortune knocks at our door we are consumed with the hope that all our neighbors are looking out at their windows.

SCHOOLBOY "HOWLERS."

Here are some amazing blunders and howlers they are known as "howlers" made by British schoolboys.

"The maintenance of vision is vision."

"Algebra was the wife of Euclid."

"To kill a butterfly you pluck its heart."

"The blood vessels are the veins, arteries and arterioles."

"A dominating animal is one that shows its teeth."

WIT AND WISDOM.

Willing to Wait.
"Before we go to this performance," said the man who was stopping for a few days in New York and trying to entertain the wife of one of his business associates, "I feel that it is my duty to say that it is not such an entertainment as I would care to have my sister or my daughter witness. Furthermore, the best seats I could get for tonight are in the nineteenth row."
"Let us not go. Perhaps you can get better ones for tomorrow night,"—Chicago Record-Herald.

We often wonder how any person can be persuaded into taking anything but Foley's Honey and Tar for coughs, colds and lung trouble. Do not be fooled into accepting "own make" or other substitutes. The genuine contains no harmful drugs and is in a yellow package. W. E. Bosserman, Bethel; Chas. E. Fernald, Rumford Falls.

It Would.
"I have a riddle for you," giggled Miss Passy. "If ten men proposed to me what would that be?"
"What?" asked Miss Young.
"A tender."
"Yes, and if one should propose to you, it would be a wonder,"—Cleveland Leader.

Foley's Honey and Tar is a safeguard against serious results from spring colds, which inflame the lungs and develop into pneumonia. Avoid counterfeits by insisting upon having the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar, which contains no harmful drugs. W. E. Bosserman, Bethel; Chas. E. Fernald, Rumford Falls.

Cause of Her Woe.
At the masquerade ball,
In the corner of the hall,
She sat in a state of dejection,
Did the maiden forlorn,
All because her pet corn
Was in a state of inflammation.
—Chicago Daily News.

During the spring every one would be benefited by taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. It furnishes a needed tonic to the kidneys after the extra strain of winter, and it purifies the blood by stimulating the kidneys, and causing them to eliminate the impurities from it. Foley's Kidney Remedy imparts new life and vigor. Pleasant to take. W. E. Bosserman, Bethel; Chas. E. Fernald, Rumford Falls.

Unequal Distribution.
The band leader at the banquet was in a towering rage.
"They said that word singer \$50 for half an hour's talk," he fumed; "and all I got was \$6.50, mostly in nickels!"
—Chicago Tribune.

People past middle life usually have some kidney or bladder disorder that saps the vitality, which is naturally lower in old age. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects urinary troubles, stimulates the kidneys, and restores strength and vigor. It cures uric acid troubles by strengthening the kidneys so they will strain out the uric acid that settles in the muscles and joints causing rheumatism. W. E. Bosserman, Bethel; Chas. E. Fernald, Rumford Falls.

He Beat It.
"Where did you steal that hat from?" demanded the policeman as he seized the tramp.
"I didn't steal it," said the tramp.
"A lady up the street gave it to me and told me to beat it."—Judge.

If you have backache and urinary troubles you should take Foley's Kidney Remedy to strengthen and build up the kidneys so they will act properly, as a serious kidney trouble may develop. W. E. Bosserman, Bethel; Chas. E. Fernald, Rumford Falls.

Insomnia.
Stage Manager—The girl who plays the Sleeping Beauty can't go on to-night.
Manager—Great heavens! Why not?
Stage Manager—She just ate a Welsh rabbit and can't get to sleep.

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Strength.
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Belated Guest—What? He's got a meg on him that would stop a clock!
Col. Haskins—(loudly) I'm here!—What's that, sir?
Guest—(loudly) I want you to know Mr. Hays. He was just remarking to me that a strong face like the Colonel's is a great recommendation.

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Gray Cardoridge, all Wool

Hunters' Shooting Coats

Khaki Jacket s Canvas Coats

Rain, Rain

Rubber Coats

Automobile Coats

Greasers

Long

Medium

Short

Pure Rubber

Coats

Rubber Lined and cloth outside, a pretty nobby all around Coat.

Iver Johnson's

Rain Hats

Hats and Caps for all the Seasons.

White Butcher's Coats

Come in when it rains or shines, the store will be open Evenings.

Gloves and Mittens

500 dollars worth of them, every grade, Commencing with the cloth canvas and only ending with the finest seal skin gloves and mittens to match.

Horse Drivers Fine Buckskins,

Reindeer

Horse Hide

Hog Hide

Mule Hide

Dress Gloves

Work Gloves

Gauntlets for Engineers and Firemen Brick Mittens

Moccasins

Vanceboro Shoe Moccasins, the best Guide shoes in this world. Made like a shoe.

All woodsmen should own a pair for trapping, fishing or hunting. They are water proof.

8 In. leg

6 In. leg

4 In. leg

Low cut Moccasins, with soles sewed on and plain Madawaska and Miramichi Indian Tan Moccasins

River Drivers Short Pants and Long Knee Stockings.

Home Knit Drawers to swim in.

To see them call all Day or Evening.

Shirts and Drawers

Men's Shirts, Top Overs,

Green and Blue, Gray and Red in wool.

Cotton Shirts

Men's Blue

Men's Checked

Men's Black

Men's Brown Work Garments.

Brown Khaki Fine Dress

Men's Dress Shirts and figured, collar style.

I am to sell all my Furniture

Three Fine Show Cases

1 nine foot case
1 six foot case
1 four foot case

Two Fine Shoe or Rubber Racks

worth much in a small store, will hold 250 pairs rubbers.

I shall please anybody who will buy this set of racks.

All other store furniture for sale at a low figure.

Look them over in the evening.

Store open all the week

I. W. Allen,

RUMFORD, ME.

WEST PARIS.

Rifle Club Contest--Real Estate News--Personals.

West Paris Rifle Club has for several weeks been practicing target shooting and making ready for the season's contest work. On April 10th, five of the members of Bryant's Pond Rifle Club came here and had a contest with five picked men from this club, with target prizes as follows:

BYRANT'S POND.
John Tice, 60
A. W. Arkell, 55
W. Jordan, 58
Frank Cummings, 75
L. M. Carrier, 62

WEST PARIS.

A. L. Bowker, 64
H. J. Mann, 73
H. H. Wardwell, 64
L. H. Henry, 48
Thomas Haddiffe, 52

The Bryant's Pond men winning by 27 points.

On Patriot's Day, the 19th, twelve men from here went to Bryant's Pond, ten of them being the regular members of the rifle club and had another contest with the Bryant's Pond Club.

WEST PARIS.
Haddiffe, 49
Henry, 55
Mann, 53
Wardwell, 53
Henry, 42
Cowan, 56
Cowan, 77
Wardwell, 63
Mann, 68
Henry, 73

BYRANT'S POND.

H. Billings, 56
Jordan, 62
Arkell, 62
Carrier, 61
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Mann, 62
Tice, 66

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Mr. L. C. Hays has purchased quite a strip of land of James P. Curtis on the upper side of Pioneer St. on which he intends to build seven cottages to rent. Four of these will be erected as soon as possible and the others may not be built until another season.

West Paris Grange has their old hall moved to the ground and will be given work as soon as possible on a new building to be erected on the same lot.

Mrs. Sarah Curtis has sold her farm and home, about one mile out of the village to Peter and Katie Pelletier. These enterprising people are brothers, going over about 25 and 35 years of age, and both were married last year to young Miss women.

An interesting number of people are looking in this vicinity and many

ECZEMA LODGES IN THE SKIN

Not a Blood Disease--Cured by Oil of Wintergreen.

For many years eczema was supposed to be a blood disease and our fathers were treated as such. But now the latest authorities agree that eczema is only a skin disease and can be cured through the skin. The earliest and most successful treatment is the use of the oil of wintergreen. It is a natural product and is not a chemical compound. It is the only remedy that has been found to cure eczema in all its forms. It is a natural product and is not a chemical compound. It is the only remedy that has been found to cure eczema in all its forms.

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This Coupon will not Appear Again

DOUBLE FACED TURKISH RUGS

(21-2 by 5 ft.) WORTH \$1.50

THEY ARE HANDSOME
THEY ARE DURABLE

COUPON

The first 100 customers that present a copy of this coupon by mail or in person and

98 cents

will be entitled to one of these rugs.

MORRIS MARX,

Congress St.,

RUMFORD, ME.

young couples are being married, three such marriages having occurred within two weeks. Last Saturday afternoon Mr. Kalle P. Kumpulainen and Miss Annie M. Houtari were married at the Methodist parsonage by Rev. D. H. Ford. The bride was becomingly dressed in white and no doubt was as happy as any of our American brides.

Rev. I. B. Marduff was called Monday to Washington, D. C. by the death of a relative in the family of her friend, Miss Jane Tonke.

Mrs. E. W. Penley is quite sick of the grip, complicated with kidney trouble. Miss Elmer H. Tuell has also been on the sick list for a few days.

The assistant engine on the O. T. R. R., which has been located here, all winter, has been removed for the summer. The night engineer, I. L. Bowker and wife will make a visit to Massachusetts.

Miss Cora Young and mother, Mrs. Martha Young, have moved to Lowell, Mass., where they will make their home.

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Mr. Charles Varney, who has made many friends during his stay here of a year or more, has gone away, and at present is with relatives in Sumner.

P. C. Bickett and A. P. Williams have gone on the O. E. S. excursion to Washington, D. C. Mr. Williams will visit relatives in Massachusetts and expects to be absent about a month.

Rev. L. W. Raymond, pastor of the Baptist church, and daughter, Miss Elsie Raymond, have moved into the upstairs room in Rev. Seth Benson's house.

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IMPRESSIONS OF THE SOUTHLAND.

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"The one great problem is the black man. No man from the North can go there and fail to feel as the native whites do. There must always be a white man's party. The negro is prone to steal, and the most of them need watching. An honest and industrious negro commands as much respect there as a white man. The poorer class of whites are lazy and without pride or ambition, and are content to live just beyond the border line of civilization."

"Louisiana has shown much improvement since 20 years ago, but they still need a Ben Butler to show them how to clean things up. The Democrats of that state are protectionists, and are more favorable to the Republican party than the Democrats, but they vote the Democratic ticket solely because of the negro. Taft's policy on that question meets with approval, and he is popular."

"The people of the South do not dispose of refuse matter as we do. If a domestic animal dies they just throw the carcass out anywhere, and the buzzards--birds about the size of hen turkeys--swoop down upon it and in a short time pick the bones clean. They are filthy looking birds. If it were not for them pestilence would rage throughout the South all the time."

"Notwithstanding crops can be raised at all seasons, easily and all sorts of edible vegetables and fruits, are plentiful, the food of the common people is bacon and fried potatoes."

"The first class hotels, such as charge not less than \$5 per day, furnish good food, such as a northern man is used to, but the ordinary places furnish food of such a poor quality that it would puzzle a man to make out a decent meal. There are good places at reasonable prices, but they have to be found by acquaintance, and not by chance."

"The climate has much to do with the conditions. Our northern climate is the whip of necessity that makes us accomplish things. In a few generations, northern men would become as the Southerners now are, were they to live in that climate."

"Jacksonville, Florida and Savannah, Georgia, are modern cities, and flourishing. Charleston, South Carolina is retrograding. It has never recovered from the earthquake. In southern Missouri there are noticed villages that approach quite near to the New England style, but nowhere else on the trip were there seen any of similar character."

Mr. Pettengill and party stopped at Washington and spent an evening with Hon. John P. Swaney. Mr. Swaney is becoming quite a social favorite and after dinner speaker. While there, Mr. Pettengill met and talked for an hour or more with Gen. Mosby, the famous "Griffin" of the Civil War.

Contrary to popular impression, Mosby is a man of education, having been a college graduate. He is a very interesting man, and never tires of telling of the events preceding and during the war, and particularly those in which he was a personal participant. His interest in present day affairs is only nominal.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

In Bethel Post Office, April 17, 1909.

Mrs. May P. Abbott.
Mrs. O. J. Brooks.
Miss Mildred Coffin.
Mrs. F. D. Maxham.
Mr. Oscar Lapointe.
A. A. Lowe.
Mr. L. L. Stratton.
Mr. Chandler Walker.
J. C. BILLINGS, P. M.

MASTERPIECE

Five-Year-Old Trotting Stallion By May King 2.20

Sire of--BINGEN, 2.001 Dam Claymore; The Dam of Al-clayone, 2.201 Sire of Louise (2.201)

Masterpiece is an elegantly proportioned horse; golden chestnut in color, and a perfect disposition. Stands 16 hands high and weighs 1100 pounds. Will be five years old the 29th day of May. Foaled, 1904, and is considered by all horse men one of the handsomest stallions living; and one of the finest gaited trotters ever shown on a ring. The May Kings, Bingens and Alcyones have proved to be the greatest families of trotters the world has ever seen; and surely no better bred stallion lives than Masterpiece. This is the first season that he has been permitted to stand for service and this will be welcome news to so many who wished to breed to him last year.

Col. Lingham the noted horseman from Hartford, Conn., after visiting all the prominent stock farms of New England writes: "I have seen just two stallions in New England that I would breed to viz. Maine Todd and Masterpiece by May King."

Masterpiece has never been trained by a professional. He was the winner in the two-year-old race at Newbury. A half m. 1.14 and also winner of the Blue Ribbon at State Fair, Lewiston, Maine. Has not started him in any race since. Stopped awhile over Bethel on the 22nd of last August and a quarter in 31.4 seconds, a 2.14 gal.

Will stand at Riverside Park, Bethel for a short season commencing May 1st; and will be limited to approved mares only.

TERMS:--\$25.00, TO WARRANT.

Season closes July 15, 1909.



Col. Patten, a Lieutenant in the Old Guard, an exclusive organization composed of soldiers of distinction who fought in the Civil War, very popular in secret society circles, recommends the famous remedy, Peruna, as a spring tonic.

Having read the above testimonial, what reader would not be convinced by any fair-minded, unprejudiced reader? Is there any possibility that a man of the prominence and reputation of Col. Patten could be induced to say such things if he did not honestly believe them to be true?

Remember, he says not only that he recommends Peruna as an invigorating spring tonic, but also as one of the best remedies that he has ever tried for coughs, colds and catarrhal complaints.

What are you going to do with such evidence? Are you going to turn away from it and listen only to the talk of people who probably never saw a bottle of Peruna, certainly never tried a bottle of it, who have nothing else to do but talk about other people's affairs? Are you going to listen to such people as that, instead of accepting the testimony of those who know?

There may be a few people so constituted as to be able to perform such a mental feat. But the sensible people, the reliable people, the brave and brave people, who are governed by principles of justice and common sense, accept to accept the clear, pointed and undoubted testimony of a man of national reputation who knows what he is talking about.

Peruna is everything he says it is. It is an invigorating spring tonic. It is a good remedy for coughs. We have many testimonials attesting to this fact. Peruna is manufactured by the Peruna Drug Mfg. Co., Columbus, Ohio.

MAINE METHODIST CONFERENCE

(Continued from Page One.)

John, D. D., on "A glimpse of God in the Microscope."

7:30. Anniversary of the board of Foreign Missions. Rev. Geo. R. Palmer, presiding. Address by Rev. Homer G. Smith, D. D., LL. D.

THURSDAY.

8:30 a. m. Conference session, 2 p. m. Conference missionary sermon by Rev. Robert A. Colpitts.

3 p. m. Anniversary of domestic missionary society. Rev. I. A. Bean, presiding. Address by Rev. H. E. Dana.

4 p. m. Address by Rev. John P. D. John, D. D., LL. D., on "A Glimpse of God in the Human Body."

8 p. m. Lecture by Bishop McDowell on "Life and the Bible." Mayor P. D. Bartlett presiding.

FRIDAY.

8:30 a. m. Conference session, 2 p. m. Anniversary of education.

Rev. W. F. Berry, D. D., presiding. Address by Rev. A. C. McKee, D. D.

3 p. m. Anniversary of Deacons and Women's Home Missionary societies. Mrs. B. C. Wentworth presiding. Address by Rev. R. H. Schmitt and Miss Mary A. Mahon.

4:15 p. m. Addresses by Rev. John P. D. John, D. D., LL. D., on "A Glimpse of God in Human Experience."

7:30 p. m. Anniversary of the board of Freedmen's Aid Society. Rev. Robert A. Colpitts presiding. Address by Rev. M. C. B. Mason, D. D.

SATURDAY.

8 a. m. Address by Rev. John P. D. John, D. D., LL. D., on "A Glimpse of God Without Eyes."

9 a. m. Conference session, 2 p. m. Anniversary of the board of Sunday schools. Rev. William Wood presiding. Address by Rev. Edgar Blake, D. D.

3 p. m. Anniversary of Woman's Home Missionary society. Mrs. C. A. Knight presiding. Address by Mrs. B. H. Haddiffe of India.

8 p. m. Lecture by Rev. John P. D. John, D. D., LL. D., on "Did Man Make God or Did God Make Man?"

SUNDAY.

9 a. m. Conference live feast, 10 a. m. Public worship with services by Bishop McDowell. During the morning services the Bishop will ordain deacons.

2:30 p. m. Evangelistic services at Bethel's hall. Sermon by John P. D. John, D. D., LL. D. Subject "All Through Conversion."

The morning service will be held at Bethel's hall.

WEST STONEHAM.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Sawyer of Lovell, stopped over night at the parental home, last week Thursday.

Hazel Kennaiston of Lovell, who has been visiting her grandfather, Mr. Gammon, returned home last week.

Mrs. Zena Fontaine has been on the sick list the past week, but is gaining. J. C. Sawyer recently saw three deer while riding. They did not seem frightened but trotted along very bravely.

Herbert Adams picked a new bush of full blown Mayflowers last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sawyer were called to Watford one day last week to the death of their son-in-law, J. W. McAllister.

Ralph Adams has moved his family into a rent in W. W. Huggins' barn and is to work at Fairlee, the season.

The snow is about all gone and the roads are very bad and muddy. Zena Fontaine has a very comfortable bed.

As to rumors, the former frames of the house of travel covers seem that the house in Maine, is sold of no effect, payment demanded.

There was a fire at Sanford, a week tended by about 100 men were about "pays" demand of the law.

There is a rumor of a large business men, to

REV. H. H. UNIVERSAL

Rev. Hervey H. Universal, a student of the pulpit, Sunday, large congregations, Rev. Mr. I. number of the men who remained faithful to the service over the

the pulpit in the town pastors are minister, and Mr. both these parish convention in J. Mr. Hoyt was at

conducted a service I. R. Marduff, temporarily. The service at the church, next

DR. A. C. DANIELS' HORSE REMOVATOR

Given Vint. Makes Blood. Acts on the Kidneys. Puts on Flesh. Makes Him Look and Feel as Fine as Silk.

Blue Box--White Caps. At any Dealer.

2 Weeks' Treatment 50 Cents

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